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*Executive members from Kiwanis Clubs in Division 11 (Loyalist) and Division 10 (Pineridge) of the Eastern Ontario and Caribbean District were on hand at the Madoc Kiwanis Club hall last Saturday for a visit from the District Governor Hervis L. Bain Jr. from Nassau in the Bahamas.*

## Madoc Kiwanis host District Governor's visit

**by Jeff Wilson**

The Loyalist and Pineridge Divisions of Kiwanis Club International hosted a visit by the Eastern Ontario and Caribbean District Governor in Madoc at the Madoc Kiwanis Club last Saturday.

Governor Hervis L. Bain Jr., from the Kiwahis Club of Nassau, in the Bahamas, the first Offshore Club of Eastern Canada and the Caribbean.

During the days festivities, an executive meeting was held in the afternoon, while a dinner and speeches in the evening.

The occasion marked the first time Division 10 and 11 were assembled together. Governor Bain made the request, in attempt to cut down his travel through the district.

Governor Bain, is a Minister of Religion, married to wife Beverly for 27 years, with three children (Hervis III, Hervisa and Heather).

His club service includes, Faculty Adviser, Government High School Key Club (1967-69), Chairman and member of most Club Committees, Vice President (1978-79), President-Elect (1979-80), Distinguished President (1980-81), Distinguished Secretary (1985-86), Merit Secretary (1986-87).

Within his Division 22, Bain has been Chairman, Support of Spiritual Aims (compiled a booklet of Prayers and Graces for used within the Division), Distinguished Lt. Governor 1988-89, designed the logo for the 25th Anniversary of Kiwanis in the Bahamas. Within the District he was a Distinguished Lt. Governor 1988-89.

Madoc Kiwanis Club President Bob Flavelle welcomed all the club delegations following the dinner, which was catered by The Two Loons Restaurant.

Madoc Village Reeve Tom Deline brought greetings from Hastings County, as well as the village and presented Governor Bain with a flag with the village code-of-arms.

Lt. Gov. Jon Patterson and Lt. Gov. Sam Green had both Division 10 (Pineridge) and Division 11 (Loyalist) individual club presidents introduce their delegations.

Lt. Governor Patterson made the introduction of the Governor.

In his address, Governor Bain told his fellow Kiwanians that they couldn't participate

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*Governor Hervis L. Bain Jr. addressed the Kiwanis Club members and their spouses following a dinner held at the Madoc Kiwanis Club hall last Saturday night.*

## Fire department to receive additional manpower and equipment

**by Jeff Wilson**

The Madoc Village Volunteer Fire Department will receive a few early Christmas presents.

Village Council voted to hire five new fire fighters as of January 1994. The five additional will replace two retiring fire fighters and increase the total compliment to 21. The increase in the department's compliment will make more fire fighters available for fire and rescue calls.

The five new members of the department will be Ralph Bourgeau, Pat Mahoney, Todd Carroll, Jim Bonter and Tom Deline Jr.

Council also voted to allow the department to purchase five additional bunker suits with money remaining in their equipment budget for 1993, along with $500 that was donated to the department by the Legion Branch 363. Council approved the purchase of hose lengths and a nozzle at a cost of up to $2,000.

## County Social Services install 1-800 number

Hastings County Social Services Committee Chairman, Tom Deline announced, on behalf of the Joint Social Services Committee, the introduction of a 1-800 toll free telephone number for persons wishing to report instances of welfare fraud that might be occurring within the County.

Expenditures on Social Assistance have risen dramatically over the past several years all across Ontario. The Provincial Ministry of Community and Social serives has recognized the fact that, as expenditures continue to grow, the value of welfare fraud also grows proportionately. Funding for activities that lead to enhanced verification of reci-

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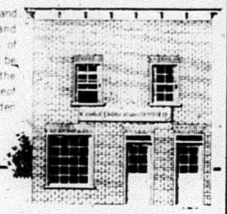

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## ASG Champs

*Madoc Public School Intermediate Boys Volleyball team won its third straight ASG title under the coaching direction of Marie Gough. Madoc defeated Stirling Senior School in the final. The County championships will be held at CHSS on Wednesday and everyone is welcome to come out and cheer on the team. The team members are: back row (l-r) Coach Marie Gough, Cory Sutton, Doug Oliver, Jeremy Wright, Chris Nickle, Chuck Landry, Adam Hagerman. Front row (l-r) Evan Hailstone, Jonathon Beer, Steve Baxter, Jeff Mulder, Ryan McCoy, Scott Jonah.*

# *Glimpse...Into the Past*

## The McKenzie Hotel Ledger Book

**by Douglas B. Quick**

I recently purchased a ledger book belonging to a small inn/hotel/general store. It covers the years December 1849 to December 1853, measures 16 cm X 38.3 cm in size and contains 258 pages, of entries exclusive of end pages, some of which have further notations. Each page consists of the name of one or more persons with a list by date and with particular of purchases or payments on account. As space was filled for each person a new entry was made further on in the book, with the balance outstanding totalled person, all men, (thank goodness, given the quantities of whiskey consumed) appear.

The book is complete and according to the book plate was purchased from "James Harrison Bookseller and Stationer" of Front Street in Belleville.

Both loose and attached promissory notes (I.O.U's) are present and are addressed to Simon McKenzie and date at Madoc. Similarly, various entries indicate that the outstanding balances are monies due to S. McKenzie. Also loose inside is a receipt dated 10, August 1880 for insurance premiums in favor of E.H. McKenzie.

So much for the physical nature of the book, but what does it represent? It would appear by all accounts to be the ledger book for the McKenzie Hotel in Madoc, one of the earliest buildings in the town. According to Brenda Hudson in Fabric of a Dream, this building was erected in 1845 by a Mr. Eastman at the corner of Madawaska and Donald Streets. It was, also known as "Madoc House" and subsequently as "Russell House". It burned in 1865.

The entries give evidence of the wide range of activities which such an inn provided. It was primarily a tavern as the numerous entries for whiskey make clear. However, barter transactions were common and lodging, meals, horsekeeping and the sale of sundry goods as a general store were also common.

This shows a balance due and owing of 2 pounds, 11s., 8d (most of which, interestingly enough, consisted of taxes). It is also interesting to note that for the price of 1 lb. of tea you could buy over a gallon of whiskey and that beef, (slaughtered one assumes in December) cost 1.75 per pound! To put it into perspective, it cost Mr. McBeath approximately a pound of beef to buy one drink of whiskey (not so far from today's relative prices!), but 75 pounds of beef for a pound of tea. No wonder they drank so much whiskey. The surprise is that they drank so much tea give its relative price.

The McKenzies can also be seen making cash advances and selling "Scotch Caps". One would love to know the nature of the "sundries" so often referred to.

In short, it provides an interesting light on the workings of what was still very much a frontier area at the time. It is also invaluable for providing information on the whereabouts and settlement dates for three hundred and twenty-five early settlers. Some, but by no means all, can be traced in Brenda Hudson's book.

The lands in question formed part of the west half of Lot 2 in the 6th Concession, Township of Madoc. These lands were purchased by Donald McKenzie in February 1832 from Gilbert Morgan. Donald McKenzie was one of four sons of John Gordon McKenzie of Montreal, the others being Roderick, Simon and Hugh. Their sister, Isabella, married William Cameron. All of these children came to the Township of Madoc. Donald McKenzie appears to have been born c. 1794, he died in Madoc, 29 April 1849 and would not seem to have been married or to have had children. Certainly none are mentioned in his will.

In October 1842 Donald McKenzie gave a mortgage to his father John Gordon McKenzie in the amount of 3,000 pounds, an immense sum which may well have covered many other lands as well. As noted above, the hotel seems to have been constructed in 1845. Associated with it was a saw mill on the adjacent Deer Creek. It is unclear exactly what happened but Donald McKenzie appears to have become badly overextended. Sometime in 1845/46 he filed for personal bankruptcy. Certainly by a Quit Claim Deed dated December 1846, Benjamin F. Davey, the assignee of Donald McKenzie, bankrupt, old

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## Hush-A-Thon

*Madoc Public School held its annual Hush-A-Thon and 305 students participated. They managed to raise $5,301.63 which will go towards supporting student excursions. The Top Primary student money raiser was Brittney Johnston (right), the top Junior student money raiser was Jeff Fabian (left) and the top Intermediate student money raiser was Chuck Landry (middle). The top money raising class was Mrs. Danford's Grade 3's.*

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# Area Women's Institutes honor local FIWO President

by Jeff Wilson

Area Women's Institutes held a party to celebrate Wellman's Women Institute member Donna Russett being elected President of the Federation of Women Institutes of Ontario, in Madoc Twp.

Some of the area districts on hand to honor and present gifts to the new president were, Hastings North, Hastings West, Hastings North, Northumberland East, Prince Edward County and Peterborough East and West.

In her address to the audience, Donna said she would "need lots of support to carry out her duties" as president for the next two years. She stressed that "teamwork" was important.

As her term begins she said she will be working towards Women's Institutes' Centennial anniversary in 1997 and moving into new offices on Aug. 21, 1994.

During the afternoon's events, Grace Morton was called upon to make an address to Donna.

Her address was entitled "Let's Celebrate With Donna". The poem read: Donna is a talented lady, Always busy as a bee; When asked to help in any way, She says, "Just count on me." We wonder at the pace she keeps, But yet she's never sick; We're not sure what her secret is, Or just what make her tick. When somenone says it can't be done, Donna says, "Just let us try. She's served us well right here, And now as Provincial leader, She'll help both far and near. She's a devoted member of Bethel Church, She's the choir leader, too, She's a worker for the festival, And she has much to do. For she's the capable treasurer, Devoted to her task; She counts the money accurately, And does whate'er we ask. She promotes the idea of recycling, Helps make waste reduction work; She's been U.C.W. president, No job she'll ever shirk. She was District Secretary of Hastings North, Vice President for Eastern Region, For all she's done in F.W.I.O. Her merits would be legion. She attended an anniversary in England, And a super course while there, In Personal Growth and Renewal, She proved to be a chairman rare. She was elected as the president of Ontario's F.W.I., And now as she assumes office we know her aims are high. We've heard of her trip to Holland, And all the folks that she met; She shared her experiences with us in a way we'll never forget. Those, who went with her to Thunder Bay, Were delighted to say with pride, That Donna was from Hastings North, She came to Wellman's as a bride. Now Donna is a wife and mother, She and Gerald lie on a farm; Their four children all have grown, They have their parents wit and charm. Donna adores her eight grandchildren; That bring much happiness, Just ask her if she's proud of them, And she'll boastfully answer, "Yes". Donna, we're proud of you, our friend, We're glad you belong to us; We know you are humble

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### Public Input

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The deadline for receipt of submissions is January 10, 1994.

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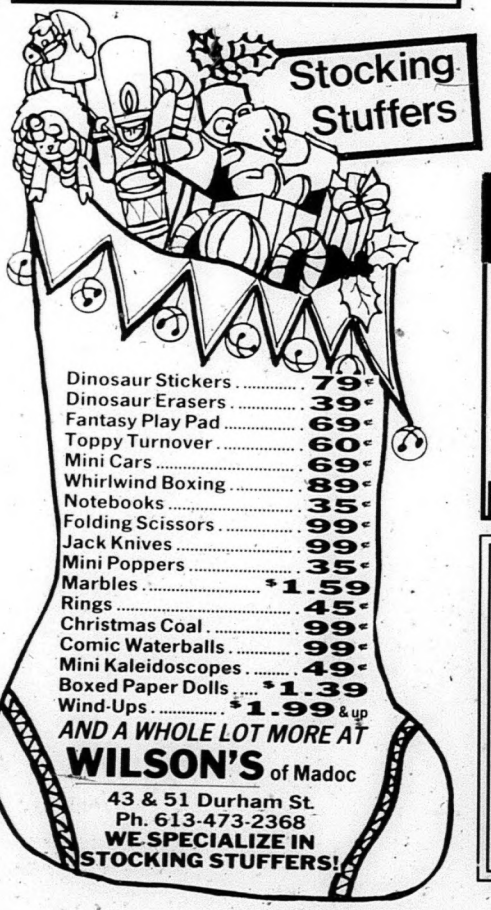



# Be good this Christmas

**by Alfred Von Mirbach**
**Waste Reduction Coordinator**

Christmas too often embodies the worst of our consumer society excesses -- unnecessary and overpacked gifts, parties ending in garbage bags full of left-overs and disposable dishware, and one-upping the neighbour with huge Christmas light shows starting in mid-November. It's time to look at how we can celebrate Christmas and be good to the environment at the same time.

Let's start with gift giving. For many of us, finding the right gift can be a nightmare of hunting endlessly through overcrowded stores, only to pay too much for an overpacked item that is used once or twice and then abandoned to a basement or closet.

Why not consider imaginative and thoughtful alternatives, like a homemade craft or a certificate promising shoveling, cooking, cleaning, organizing or some other service. If you feel a real need to buy something, buy responsibly -- avoid overpacking and look for environmentally friendly gifts.

What about the endless stream of Christmas parties? Instead of ending up with garbage bags filled with disposable plates, plastic glasses and leftover food, why not organize a waste-free party. It's not as hard as you might think. You can rent reusable dishware from party supplies outfits and most of your food scraps can be composted.

Christmas decorations are another area where people sometimes go overboard. Using a few less lights, throwing the switch a few days later, putting them on a programmable timer, or using low energy bulbs can all make a difference in your hydro bill -- and save non-renewable energy resources in the process.

Another environmentally friendly idea -- decorate your outdoor shrubs and trees with garlands of popcorn and fresh cranberries, suet sacks, cubes of bread, or chunks of fruit. After all, your local birds deserve a Christmas treat too.

Moving on to indoor decorations, why not go for a potted Christmas tree this year. The Quinte Environmental Resource Alliance will be selling them on Dec. 11 and Dec. 18 at Semple's and Loeb's grocery stores in Belleville.

In January, just put your potted tree outside and let it sit dormant until you can plant it somewhere in the spring. It's a nice and easy way to help the planet.

If you oft for a cut Christmas tree, make sure it is from a tree farm that replants. Another option is to get a good quality artificial tree that can be reused for many years.

Being good to the environment this Christmas doesn't mean you have to stop giving gifts, going to parties, or putting up Christmas decorations -- it just means changing your habits a little to make them less wasteful. Your children and the planet will thank you.

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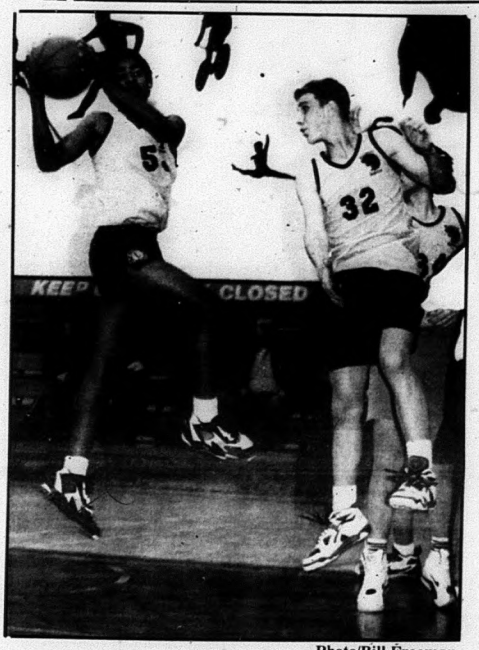


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**Clearing the boards:** *Robert "Wheels" Williams of the Norwood District High midget Knights pulls down a power rebound during furious action against the Clarke Raiders Wednesday afternoon. Norwood edged their visitors with a last second free throw by Kevin Deen after the Raiders were given a technical foul. Trevor Ambler led all scorers with 18 pts while Deen netted six.*

## Stewart happy with NAFTA deal

Member of Parliament Christine Stewart is pleased with the announcement that the North American Free Trade Agreement will go ahead.

Recently appointed Secretary of State for Africa and Latin America for the new Liberal government, Stewart said she has always been an advocate of freer trade, adding: "The NAFTA deal was, however, inadequate in some areas but with the agreements secured by the Prime Minister all parties to the deal now fully understand their position."

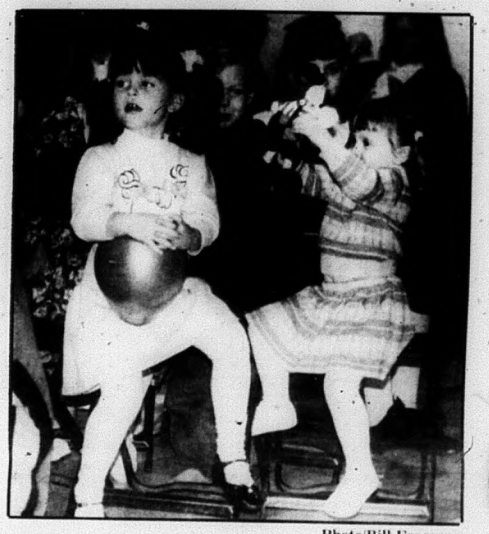
Improvements sought and gained by the Liberal leadership included an agreement to reach a consensus on anti-dumping codes and a subsidies' code which will result in a more effective dispute settlement and protection of Canada's water resources, Stewart noted.

She said President Bill Clinton acknowledged the Canadian need to protect the energy sector and this was legally protected by the two governments' declaration on energy which is accepted as an adjunct to the NAFTA agreement.

Stewart also noted that: "The joint statement regarding water which was made expressed clearly that NAFTA creates no rights to the natural water resources of any party. I'm satisfied that this answers the long-held concerns of Canadians on that issue."

Stewart said she was convinced the fine points of the agreement can be worked out with their U.S. and Mexican partners. "My portfolio is largely concerned with relations with our Latin American friends. This is another positive step toward strengthening those relations."

Meanwhile, commenting on the Liberal government's decision to cancel the Pearson Airport deal in Toronto which would have privatized Terminals 1 and 2, Stewart said: "I think this decision shows Canadians that the Liberal government is determined to act in a responsible and straightforward manner. Robert Nixon should be commended in his efforts to produce his candid report.



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**Kids at Christmas:** *The new Bill Garden Memorial Auditorium was put to wonderful use Saturday as Legion Branch 300 in Norwood hosted its annual Children's Christmas Party and entertained jolly old Santa Claus. Mr. Claus was in fine form handing out presents to the room full of youngsters who, like those above, wasted no time in checking out their gifts.*

### A 'positive contribution'

## Indian River beaches program wraps up third successful year

**Indian River** - The Indian River "Clean Up Rural Beaches (CURB) Program set up by the Otonabee Region Conservation Authority is about to wrap up its third year and officials have noted the "positive contribution" it has made in both improving water quality and helping the local economy.

Beth Cockburn, ORCA's water quality programs coordinator, says the public beaches along the Indian River were "open on a more consistent basis this past summer due in part to a decrease in the amount of contaminated drainage to the river.

"Restricting cattle access to the river and providing alternative water sources, upgrading faulty septic systems and improving the storage of manure and milkhouse washwater has reduced the amount of contaminated drainage to the river," Ms Cockburn said.

"Landowners working along with the Conservation Authority have done a great deal of work to help reduce the bacterial levels in the river," she added.

ORCA committed $5,000 to the CURB program in 1993 and this commitment secured an additional $61,600 in provincial funding which Ms Cockburn said was directed into the local economy.

Landowners contributed approximately $22,000 to complete remedial projects.

She said provincial grants were made available to landowners to help offset the cost of the remedial work which involved six septic system upgrades and the construction of one liquid manure storage facility over the past year.

"The successful completion of the projects also involved local businesses, including contractors, lumber yards and plumbers," she said.

ORCA was able to hire staff to do water sampling and analysis and work with the landowners on remedial projects.

"We are very pleased with the results of the CURB program," ORCA general manager Dan White says.

"The program brought residential and agricultural landowners, the Authority and the Ministry together with a commitment to improving water quality and a great deal of work has been accomplished," Mr. White said.

People In The News

## From Sears' laborer to multi-millionaire with one 649 ticket

**Belleville**--"I screamed and screamed," said Nancy West of Belleville after discovering she had won the jackpot of $10.778 million Lotto 6/49 Jackpot from the Nov. 24th, 1993 draw. She collected her prize at the Ontario Lottery Corporation Prize Office in Toronto.

An occasional lottery player, she spent $1 on a Lotto 6/49 quick pick and $1 on Encore. The ticket, with the winning numbers 1, 19, 22, 23, 24 and 34 was purchased at the Info Booth at the Quinte Mall in Belleville.

Nancy didn't realize she was a multi-millionaire until she went to her lottery retailer on the following Saturday to buy tickets for that night's draw. West, 45, retired from her job as a laborer at the Sears Warehouse after learning of her good fortune. She has one 24-year-old son.

She told the lottery staff she hadn't decided on what she would do with the money but expects to invest the windfall.

Half the adult population in Ontario regularly purchase lottery tickets. To date, more than $5.2 billion has been made available for the operation of hospitals in Ontario and to support voluntary social service agencies through the Trillium Foundation. Lottery profits also support environmental projects and the development and promotion of cultural, sport and recreational activities in the province.

For every $1 spent on a lottery ticket, approximately 48 cents is awarded in cash prizes and about 34 cents is profit.

# More Abled Than Disabled

*by Barbara Bruce-Pealow*

**"Blindness is not what you think it is"**

This article is written by Karen Stone from Ability Network magazine. (Canada's Cross Disability Magazine).

Last year, I spent a little time at the annual convention of the National Federation of the Blind (NFB) of New Mexico and found that the biggest problem faced by the blind today has nothing to do with vision or lack of vision.

According to Michael Santullo, Director of Newsline for the Blind: "Blindness is not what you think it is." Though not blind himself, he did spend two months as a blind person training at The Orientation Centre in Alamagordo run by the New Mexico Commission for the Blind. Learning the tricks of the trade, so to speak, Michael came away from the training with a heightened acuity of his senses, with an awareness of other people's ignorance, and with an understanding that blind people can just about do anything they wish to do, short of driving a car.

What stopped him more than anything was the attitude of others, their pity, and their interference with doing things on his own.

People grabbed his arm unexpectedly. People assumed he needed help. And people also automatically equated his so-called blindness with poverty. He felt much of what Patricia Logan, a NFB member of the NY chapter, said in a letter to the media: "I reject and condemn the interference and remarks which suggest that life without sight necessarily has to be one of almost total dependence on loved ones; a life permeated with depression and dominated by thoughts of what has been lost, rather than by the wealth of experiences based on what has been retained."

We can learn much here. Blind people exercise their other senses a great deal and, in doing so, develop strengths in such areas, just like Arnold Schwarzenegger has done in building his muscles. Blind people do not have ultra-hearing but simply are better listeners. To wit, by eliminating visual distractions at a musical concert with closed eyes, we hear better. Added sensitivity as to the awareness of where the sun rays are assist in 'orientation' when walking outdoors. This same sensitivity indicates a change in air pressure, a possible wall nearby or a door opening up ahead.

Not all blind people are totally without sight. Variations abound. There are those who have a sensitivity to light and dark. Some lack direct vision, but can see peripherally. Others, and this is true to a certain extent for most of our aging population, have difficulty reading small print. Some were born blind while others lost their sight later on in their lives. Awareness of those variations can help in our understanding of how someone might deal with their individual circumstances.

But it goes without saying, blind people are people first. Remember the old adage: we are all linked in unity deeper than any difference. We are all people with individual characteristics. Emotions are no different, sight or no sight. Desires are no different, sight or no sight. To be a functional, contributing member of society is something we all wish.

At this juncture, you are probably asking yourself, how should I behave in the company of a blind person?

Be yourself, nothing more, nothing less. Let your voice indicate where you are. Touch only to shake hands. Do not offer help without first asking if you can be of assistance in any way. If the answer is no, relax. Enjoy each other.

Sight-seeing dogs are on the job, not to be petted or crooned over. Leave them alone!

Be honest. If you don't know to what extent blindness affects this individual, ask for clarity, for an explanation. After all, this individual is the expert, not you. Don't worry about using such words as "see". Even a blind person will say, "See you later".

Letters to Karen Stone are welcome and may be addressed c/o Ability Network, P.O. Box 24045, MicMac Blvd., Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, B3A 4T4.

**Handicap dock:**

The Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters have allocated $10,000 towards a handicap ramp in Peterborough on Little Lake. It was approved in principle by the Board of Directors. This money is from the Wildlife Fund allocated to Zone E. The question was raised how the Wildlife Fund was generated....mostly from Conservation dinners and also donations.

**Neurologist honoured**

Dr. Joel Oger, MS researcher and neurologist associated with the MS Clinic in Vancouver was named Chevalier de l'ordre national du merite by the French government. Now a Canadian citizen, Dr. Oger was honoured for his MS research and for his work with the Alliance Francaise. Dr. Oger received the award at the recent meeting of the World Congress of Neurology in Vancouver.

This is an old recipe that I dug up. This is tasty enough to consider serving to company but the occasion must be informal as there's no way to eat spareribs except with the fingers. Two pounds of spareribs should take care of four people.

**Sweet-Sour Spareribs**

2 lbs. spareribs, cut in 2' pieces
2 strips of bacon
1/2 to 3/4 cup brown sugar
1 small can of pineapple chunks
1 large onion, sliced
2 green peppers, sliced
1/2 cup vinegar
2 tablespoons soy sauce
3 tablespoons cornstarch

Cut 2 strips of bacon in 2-inch-long pieces and start it cooking in a heavy frying pan or dutch oven (as long as it has a lid).

As soon as there is a bit of bacon fat melted in the pan add the spareribs and the sliced onion. Cook until the spareribs are brown, turning them as necessary.

Add just the "juice" from one can of pineapple. Cover tightly and cook gently for about 40 minutes.

Add the green pepper, pineapple chunks, brown sugar, vinegar and soy sauce.

Mix together 3 tablespoons of cornstarch and 2 tablespoons of water into a smooth paste and stir the paste in pan.

Cook uncovered, until the sauce is thick and brown; about 20 minutes.

Serve with rice and tossed salad. Top off the dinner with vanilla ice cream.

Come on ladies and gentlemen, keep on sending in your recipes.

Send your recipes to Barb Pealow, RR 2, Campbellford, KOL 1LO.

Chow, see you next week.

# Women's support group meets every Thursday at the Resource Centre

**Hastings** - Every Thursday morning from 9:15 am until 11:15 pm, Ilona from Women in Crisis in Cobourg is at the the Hastings Resource Centre to lead an outreach group of women in informal discussions on issues that are of concern and special interest.

This informal group talks about subjects such as the law and how it affects women, abuse, stress, child rearing, discpline, taxes, self esteem, empowerment etc... During the morning sessions videos are also shown when they are available.

If there is a topic that is of special interest to you let the Resource Centre know so it can be raised for discussion.

Also, if you (or someone you know) wishes to speak to Ilona privately please feel free to contact her at the Resource Centre (696-3733) from 8:30 am until 4:30 pm.

**School News**

# Holiday spirit fills Norwood High hallways

**By Ruth Wallace & Jen Marchment**

**Norwood** - The first week of December is here and the Christmas holidays are on the way.

While some will be "partying hard" to bring in the new year, many more Norwood District High students will be getting together with friends and family over the holidays to celebrate the birth of Christ.

In December, one of the NDHS drama classes is putting on a play -- "Charlie Brown's Christmas" -- for the students of Norwood and Havelock-Belmont Public Schools. This special production **will not** be performed for high school students.

Some of the actors in the play are **Jaime Leeper** as Carol; **Kirk Snetsinger** as Charlie Brown; **Ann Belsey**, as Fred; **Randy Clements** as Linus; **Trisha Marchment** as Marcy; **Tina Terpstra** as Sally; **Kevin Larmer** as Snoopy and **Shawn McQuaig** as Victor.

The play is free for all students and parents. We hope those who attend Charlie Brown's Christmas" enjoy the show because a great deal of effort has gone into it. For more information on performance times give the local elementary school a call.

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**Solo star:** *Multi-talented Michael Wrightly was given a chance to showcase his trombone-playing abilities during the annual Norwood District High School Music Night held last Tuesday. Musicians from grade eight to OAC entertained a large crowd in the NDHS gymnasium. We'll have more next week.*
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# Colts' peewee B team bounces back to register 3 victories

During the past week the Campbellford Colts' peewee B team, sponsored by Rabetheg's Jewellers, played four games, including a home-and-home series against Tweed, an exhibition with the Trenton Golden Hawks and a visit to Warkworth.

In their first outing, the Colts were coming off a victory over Bancroft but ran into a red-hot Trenton team and suffered a 12-0 setback.

Colts then recovered to capture a pair from the Tweed squad, scoring a 9-6 victory in Campbellford and travelling to Tweed to complete the sweep 4-1. In the hard-fought contest in Warkworth, the Colts prevailed 6-4, coming from behind a 4-3 deficit with three-third period goals.

Mark Wilson led the way in game one with a three-goal effort while Jeff McFaul and Ben McClure each scored twice and singles were registered by Jeremiah Watson and Matt Crawford.

Less than 24 hours later the teams were at it again on Tweed ice. Wilson was once again a dominating factor with three goals, including the first two to give the Colts a 2-0 lead. Tweed closed the gap to one in the second but Alex Jeffs, on a play with Colin Simpson and Watson, got that back as the Colts took a 3-1 lead into the final period. Wilson then clicked to complete his fifth hat-trick of the season on a tip-in from Brad Burkitt. Albert Parker turned in a strong game in the Campbellford nets.

The Warkworth game was a see-saw affair and the outcome wasn't decided until the final five minutes of play. The Colts were down 4-3 with time running out but John Hay, Matt Crawford and Mark Wilson connected in the come-back surge.

Warkworth scored first with Andy Kennedy doing the honors. Crawford got that one

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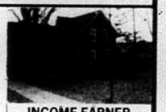

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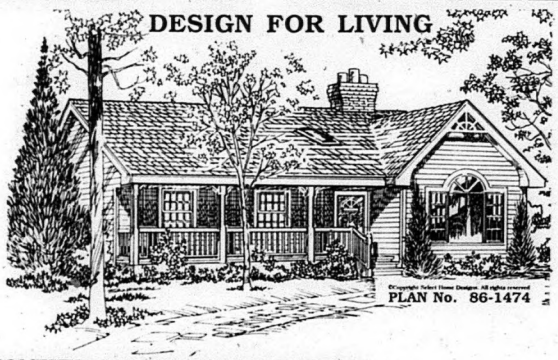

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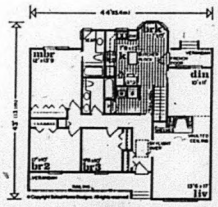

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## The Scoop on Annual Licensing

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Snowmobiling's incredible growth is attracting attention. We're generating big money - manufacturer's investments, goverment funding, corporate sponsorships, increased permit revenues, and $400 million dollars of provincial spending by snowmobilers - all spelling increased visibility and scrutiny. We've gone from being largely ignored to being under the microscope and changes are underway.

The first one came down the pipe in last spring's Ontario budget. Effective July 1, 1993 snowmobile registration must be renewed annually. Tax grab implications aside, it is most annoying that there was never any prior consultation with snowmobilers. In fact, despite repeated requests by the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs (OFSC), there has yet to be any high level dialogue with the Ministry of Transportation of Ontario (MTO) on either license registration policy or implementation. Strange behaviour indeed for a government committed to public consultation.

For those still confused about the new registration, here's the scoop. New sled registration increased to $30 from $25, but because of the new annual validation requirement and fee, new registrations must be obtained in the name of the actual purchaser. Before, dealers could license sleds themselves prior to sale and simply transfer ownership to the purchaser at no cost. No longer, because any transfer of ownership now involves a fee. Same applies if you speak for a new sled at your dealer, but before taking delivery, decide to change models. If the dealer has already registered the first sled in your name, your change of mind will cost you another registration fee.

The annual fee, is $15 for Southern Ontario residents. Although every sled owner is required to validate annually, Northerners do so at no cost in keeping with MTO's long standing motorized vehicle licensing policy for Northern Ontario.

To get the new system running, MTO will be including your snowmobile license renewal information on the same form you receive for other motor vehicle renewals prior to your birthday. You may be surprised at how many machines are on their records, but remember that until now, all sled registrations were one time and comulative, so every sled you have ever owned may show up on the first form. Only validate the serviceable ones still in your possession.

The resulting count is one undeniable benefit of the new system. Within a year or so, we will have more accurate on active snowmobiles in Ontario. MTO shows about 30,000, but if my experience is any indicator, about two-thirds will be absent for roll call.

In this first year of registration, only those with birthdays September 1, 1993 or later need worry about their annual renewal. So if your birthday is June 1st, you will not be required to renew until next summer - a free winter's ride! On the other hand, if you bought a new sled this past September and your birthday is in January, then you are going to be dinged for $30 at point of purchase and a $15 renewal at your birthday. Double jeopardy.

The renewal or validation sticker is the same as you get for your auto license plate, black this year. One sticker, two sled sides. Proper placement is on the left side cowling as you are seated to operate the snowmobile. Affix it immediately to the right of and near the top of, the last number of your license plate.

Which begs the question, what license plate? Many sleds sport colour coordinated, paint on numbers or vinyl graphics instead of those ugly blue on white MTO license stickers. Rumours abound that these are illegal, even to the point of police enforcement in some regions. I'm no legal eagle, but my reading of the Motorized Snow Vehicle Act (1990) says that after September 30, 1993, anything but the official MTO license stickers are indeed forbidden. See for yourself in Reg. 804 Section 22 & 23, Articles 1 through 5 of the Act.

It doesn't look like MTO is done with us yet. Word has it that serious internal, albeit preliminary discussions are already underway about a new driver's license class for snowmobilers. News stories in various Ontario papers share this speculation. Implementation would ensure mandatory snowmobile driver training and could have broad safety implications, but it also harbours another money grab from sledders and yet another restriction from big brother.

Some Northern municipalities and the OFSC have given preliminary conditional support to the general concept, and I'm willing to bet it will be with us soon. Hopefully, this time after comprehensive and prior consultation with Ontario's snowmobiling community. Until next time, Happy Trails and remember, Sled Smart: RIDE SAFE, RIDE SOBER.

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# Intense, thrilling action as atoms face-off with Warsaw

**Hastings** - The crowd at the Hastings Arena Nov. 30 got full entertainment value from the Big Blue Atom Machine as they faced off with their rivals from Warsaw.

It was a tough but well-fought 2-2 battle between the two sides and the viewing crowd was treated to a intense show of hockey skill and desire.

Warsaw grabbed the lead early in the first period and the boys in blue were unable to beat the tough goaltending on the Warsaw side until late in the second frame when Robbie Van Allen made a bullet drive scoring unassisted to notch the score at 1-1.

Hastings charged ahead early in the third when Van Allen, from Jordan Duff and Adam Bell, once again outwitted the Warsaw goalie.

This put Hastings in front 2-1.

The Red Tide from Warsaw was able to net the tying goal at the 8:33 mark. Fast, exciting hockey ensued for the remainder of the match but neither team was bale to blast home the tie-breaker.

Worthy mention must go to Hastings goaltenders Lee Messacar and Curtis Dodd; both boys played a tough game sharing the pipes half time.

The Big Blue Atom Machine plays home matches every Tuesday evening starting at 7:30 pm. Come on down to the rink and enjoy some exciting hockey drama.

# Hockey bonanza for bantam blue machine

**Hastings** - On Friday night the Battling Blue Machine entertained the Red Tide from Warsaw.

Mike Moore again showed his prowess by netting another hat trick -- adding to his growing collection. Netminder Joffa Stafford acted as a stone wall against the Red Rockets from Dummer allowing only one goal in the first frame.

The highlight of the evening for Lucas Frise came in the closing moments of the game when he netted his first marker of the season to help seal the 7-4 Hastings win.

A visit from Douro was next on their hockey menu.

The boys in blue came out strong for the first part of the game and took a 1-0 lead in the first frame on a goal by Mike Moore. The second period saw a clock-stopping goal by Steve Ogilvy. Not satisfied, he went on to do an encore performance giving the home boys a 3-0 lead.

After that, lethargy seemed to settle in over the team and the crowd.

Early in the third period, the visitors sensed the mood and jumped on the team for two unanswered goals.

The match ended on a quiet note with the Big Blue Machine holding on for the 3-2 win.

# Colts' peewee A team nosed out by Picton

The Campbellford peewee A Colts, sponsored by Bennett's Home Furnishings, gave it a good effort but it wasn't good enough Friday night on home ice when they lost a 3-2 decision to the Prince Edward County team representing Wellington and Picton.

Although the Colts had defeated the same team by a 5-2 count in the championship game of the Prince Edward County tournament the previous week, they were unable to duplicate that performance.

This coming weekend the Colts get an opportunity to redeem themselves when they participate in the 16-team Campbellford peewee tournament. It starts Friday, Dec. 10th at 6:30 p.m. and continues Saturday and Sunday. The Colts' first game is Saturday at 8 a.m.

PEC jumped into a 2-0 first period lead and maintained their advantage the rest of the way despite a lot of offensive pressure by Clair Petherick's Campbellford skaters. Jeff Lucas and Jonathon Wight staked the visitors to their early two-goal lead and Adam Lowe netted what proved to be the margin of victory early in the final period.

Jeff Petherick, the Colts' top scoring threat, scored two more goals, converting on passes from Andrew Hay and Cassandra Turner on the first and clicking with help from Jason Trafford on the second.

## We Salute

**New to You:** *Students and staff at St. Paul's School in Norwood held their annual "New To You" sale Friday in the school's gymnasium. The gym was filled with all sorts of goodies that were up for sale. The sale is held each year to raise money for St. Paul's Salvadorean friend Norma. They were able to raise $603 this year.* **Photo/Bill Freeman**

# Big game for Chaplin as Lions rally for tie

**Norwood** - The number 14 was the lucky one Sunday as the Norwood Lions rallied in the dying seconds of play to secure a 6-6 tie with their fiesty Knights of Columbus foes.

The two number 14's, Mark Chaplin (Lions) and Paul Chandlier (Knights), had stellar games with Chaplin turning in a Gretzky-like four goal performance and Chandlier chipping in a pair for his squad.

The Knights built up a commanding 5-1 lead deep into the second period before a pair by Chaplin 29 seconds apart whittled the gap to 5-3.

A marker early in the final period by Nicholas Woychesko, also a two-goal man on the night, boosted the Knights' lead to 6-3. They were able to hold onto this margin for the next ten minutes until Chris McMillan served notice of a Lions' comeback bid.

Chaplin made it 6-5 with 1:56 to go in the match and then with just 24 seconds left on the clock he and Michael Earnshaw teamed up for the equalizer.

Also scoring on the night for the Lions was Mike Denik, from J.R. Nelson and Travis McKay. Assists during the game also went to Graham Millar and Devon Scott.

Picking up the other Knights' markers were Alex Fischer and Jordan Smit. Earning assists were Michael Wuis, with two, Fischer and William Ridgeway.

Brad Kloosterman fired in four goals while Jada Kloosterman struck for the hat trick as the Archer Trucking squad cruised to a 9-2 win over the usually stingy Crowley Bus Liners.

The Archers had a 4-1 lead after one period and had increased it to 6-2 after two on their way to the win. Also scoring for the Archers were Andy Wilce and Adam Manley. Picking up assists were Wilce (2), Brad Kloosterman (3), Jada Kloosterman (4) and Matt Walsh.

Scoring for the Bus Liners were Mark Logan and Chris Eggleton. Amy Sherritt and Derek Fisher earned assists.

# OBITUARY

*Ronald William Webster*

**Ronald William Webster** of 24 Victoria Street in Norwood died Nov. 5 at Peterborough Civic Hospital after an illness of one month. He was 82.

The son of Frank Webster and Pearl Clark, Mr. Webster was born in Asphodel Township and educated in Norwood.

Mr. Webster married Mary Girven on Aug. 23, 1947 and was a self-employed farmer until retiring 17 years ago. Prior to moving to his Victoria Street residence he and his wife lived at R.R.1, Norwood.

Mr. Webster was a member of Norwood United Church were he was the former Clerk of Sessions and a current trustee of the Church.

Mr. Webster is survived by his wife Mary.

The funeral service was held Nov. 8 at the Norwood and District Funeral Home Chapel with the Reverend Alan Borland officiating. The pallbearers were Cameron Clark, Alton Clark, Jack Stewart, John Webster, Earl Oliver and Bob Sedgwick.

Interment was at the Norwood-Asphodel Cemetery.

**Christmas Spirit Prevails:** *Campbellford's Square Boy Pizza and the junior C Campbellford Rebels' hockey team is collaborating to help the Fair Share Food Bank raise its inventory of supplies' for the needy. The campaign was kicked off last week when Rebel players Kevin Dunk and Trevor Torrance got together with proprietor Scott Saunders of Square Boy Pizza and Bill Adams of the Food Bank. Square Boy will be making a weekly draw through Dec. 24th for a free pizza. A non-perishable food item must be dropped off to the pizza outlet to enter the draw. No purchase is necessary. The Rebels have two home games left before Christas Dec. 18th and 23rd. Anyone bringing a food item to these games will also receive a draw entry on a pizza. Also the Rebels are including two game passes with each pizza won.* **photo/Rolly Ethier**

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## Cards of Thanks

BAILEY - The family of the late Fred Bailey would like to express our sincere appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbours for flowers, cards, memorial and monetary donations, visits and for the food brought to our homes. Thanks to the ladies of Eldorado United Church for the luncheon. Thanks to Teresa Ramsey for her comforting message and for her support, and to the McConnell Funeral Home for their kindness. Thanks also to Dr. Derry and ambulance attendants. Special thanks to all of the men who organized and participated in the wood bee and the ladies who supplied the lunch. Your overwhelming support in our loss is greatly appreciated.

BROOKS - I would like to thank my family, neighbours and friends for being with me on my 90th Birthday. Thanks for the lovely cards, gifts and telephone calls. Thank you, Ladies of the Church. Gerald Brooks.

**THANK YOU**
Karin and Brian Laine would like to thank all our friends and associations that supported our family during a recent appeal with the Peterborough Board of Education in regard to the identification and placement of our daughter. Kristin remains welcome with her friends in her regular classroom.

## Pets

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## People In The News

Photo/Bill Freeman

**Sci. fair winner:** *Amanda O'Brien and her partner Angela Foster (absent) grabbed 1st place honours in Class 8A during Norwood Intermediate School's annual science fair. Amanda and Angela studied the "Greenhouse Effect." After collecting her winner's certificate Amanda was off to the gymnasium where she played in the Grade 8 orchestra during the NDHS Music Night concert.*

# Holiday spirit fills Norwood High hallways

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Last Thursday and Friday, the school's **Dram Club** presented Tim Kelly's "It was a Dark and Stormy Night" -- a mystery-comedy-spoof!!

**Stormy times**

Saturday evening's performance was very special indeed as it was given to the annual Norwood Lions Club's Dinner Theatre audience, allowing theatregoers a chance to enjoy the play while satisfying their appetites at the same time.

Norwood High students hope all who attended this fantastic play enjoyed themselves. We invite you to attend next year's drama production and support the creative efforts of a very dedicated group of volunteers.

We would like to take time to thank the students who made time to be involved in the play. We hope they all enjoyed their experience and will participate in further Dram Club offerings.

He shoots! He scores!

On Nov. 25, the Norwood Hockey Knights played a hard, strong Kawartha League game against the Crestwood Mustangs but came out on the short end of a 4-1 score.

On Nov. 26, the Knights were off to the "FalconFest Tournament" in Fenelon Falls. Norwood's first game was against mighty Scollard Hall (ranked 2nd in Ontario!!) which the boys lost by a mere 5-2 margin. The Knights recovered strongly to win their second match trouncing Lindsay Collegiate 7-1.

**Hockey fever!!**

Our valiant Knights also played North York's George S. Henry and lost a heartbreaker 3-2 in overtime.

**Leo Marsh** was noted for his excellent play. As some people would say, he was Norwood's "fire on ice."

Norwood Knights' head coach Mr. Rhodes feels that the team started to gain some momentum during these last few games.

Coach Rhodes also said "the Knights are starting to work better as a team and are keeping their heads up and talking to one another on the ice.

"Also, the goaltending is starting to get stronger," the coach added.

# Colts' peewee

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back, slipping the puck by Warkworth goalie Matt O'Halloran. Kennedy fired his second of the night but the Colts answered back as Brad Burkitt's shot from the point went through a maze of players into the Warkworth net.

Wilson put the Colts up 3-2 on a deflection from Burkitt with Watson earning his first of two assists. Warkworth scored twice in the first five minutes of the final period to go up 4-3 only to have Campbellford get clicking with a three-goal attack that turned the tide.

To date Rabethge Colts have a record of eight victories and five losses in 13 starts. Team captain Mark Wilson has been the team's biggest offensive threat with 28 points, including 21 goals.

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## Coming Events

TUESDAY Night Bingo at Madoc Kiwanis Centre. Bonanza 6:45 p.m. $1,000 jackpot - 50 numbers, descending to $200.

**BINGO**
Havelock Rotary Club
Bingo at Havelock Legion.
Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Highlights 7:00 p.m.
Jackpot $ ... Regular Bingo 8:00 p.m.

[illegible] Bingo [illegible] Hall [illegible] 7 p.m. [illegible] Regular [illegible] $100. Legion [illegible] $1,000 remains at [illegible] each week until [illegible] Bingo 50 for play exchange 25 [illegible] For a trial period 7 months as of Oct. p. 1993.

**BINGO**
Thursday Night Kinsmen Bingo
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Early Birds, 7:30 p.m.

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## Coming Events

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**Makes Final Four:** *Marmora Senior volleyballers made a creditable showing in the annual Legion Branch 103 elementary school boys' tournament Saturday in Campbellford. The Marmora kids lost in the consolation final. Team members, from left: Tyson Smith, Ken Thompson, Justin McArthur, Patrick O'Rourke, Remi Dupont, Ryan Dafoe, Mike Finch and Al Danford (coach).* **photo/Rolly Ethier**

# Christmas Concert slated for Dec. 12 in Belleville

On Dec. 12, at 3:30 p.m. the Quinte Junior Chorus, the Hastings Chamber Choir, and the Hastings Youth Chorale of the Hastings County Baord of Education Concert Choir will present a concert featuring music for the Christmas season and some selections being prepared for the Europe tour in 1994.

The audience and choirs will have the opportunity to sing Christmas carols as well. The concert will take place at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner of Church and Victoria Streets, in Belleville.

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## Madoc Kiwanis host District

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in Kiwanis without their spouses and he asked that a round of applause be given to each spouse.

He told the audience that each club needs a vision, he said the members of the Madoc Kiwanis Club had a vision when they acquired the hall which they were all assembled in. He urged the clubs to adopt a vision as a project for the new year if they lacked one.

Governor Bain also stressed that Kiwanians need to be moved by compassion, he cited the example of Kiwanis Clubs handing out awards to local scholars for their achievements.

## County Social Services

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pient's circumstances is being provided by the Ministry over a three year period in an effort to recover funds that may be going to persons who do not qualify.

The installation of our new fraud hot-line 1-800-267-5265, effective Dec. 8, 1993, will serve to assist concerned individuals who want to report any case of potential welfare fraud.

While our office hours are 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, callers are able to leave a message after hours or on weekends.

## Area Women's Institutes honor

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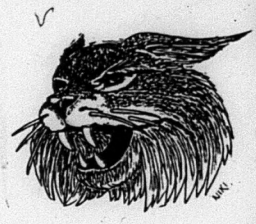


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# Madoc A's ace first tournament

by Kathy Leaver

On Nov. 20, the Madoc Atom "A"s travelled to Havelock to participate in their first tournament of the season. Although our boys faced some tough competition, they ended the day with top honors, bringing home the "A" Championship award.

Madoc's first game of the tournament found them matched against Peterborough's powerful St. John the Baptist. Close checking, end-to- end play resulted in a scoreless tie after two periods of play, but late in the third Madoc's Brandon McLean fired in the first goal assisted by Robbie Curtis.

Twenty-six seconds later Jesse Cassidy tallied to clinch the win for Madoc, assisted by Derek Thibault and Mike Scaife, ending the game 2-0.

In game two, Madoc met Tamworth, their top rival in the Hastings and District "D" Division league. Both teams seemed to be very closely matched which resulted in the most exciting game of the day. Madoc opened the scoring in the first period on a goal by Robbie Curtis, assisted by Derrick Blackburn. Tamworth reciprocated seconds later with a goal that held the two teams tied until early in the third period. Tamworth then popped in the go-ahead goal.

Determined not to be outdone, Madoc rallied on a quick goal scored by Mike Leaver, assisted by Jason Wilson and Jesse Cassidy, tying the game again.

With only 1:59 left in the game, Madoc's Derrick Blackburn found the mark, assisted by Jesse Cassidy, edging out the opposing team by a 3-2 score.

Our boys then moved on to the final "A" championship game, played against Peterborough's Northminister. Madoc came out strong and skated to a convincing 11-7 win. Derrick Blackburn led the scoring for Madoc with six goals, followed by Mike Leaver and Jesse Cassidy with two apiece and a single from Adam Wilkins. Assists went to Robbie Curtis (3), Brandon McLean (2), Mike Leaver (1), Derek McNab (1), Jesse Cassidy (1), Derrick Blackburn (1) and Brennan Rollins (1).

Congratulations to Jesse Cassidy who was awarded Madoc's MVP for the "A" Championship game.

A special thanks to affiliated players Ryan Baumken, Mike McCann and Mike Scaife who attended our first game of the tournament and helped us achieve our goal.

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certain lands to Grace Russell, which appear to have included the hotel. John Gordon McKenzie assigned his mortgage by instrument dated 6 October 1846 to Colin Russell and on 13 June 1852 Murdoch Cameron (Donald McKenzie's nephew and one of his executors) executed a surrender of lease in favor of Colin Russell.

It would appear that after the death of Donald McKenzie on 29 April 1849 his brother Simon McKenzie had taken over the operation of the hotel (possible pursuant to the lease subsequently surrendered by Murdoch Cameron) and that this book represents the account ledger during his management of the hotel. The book was then passed down among his family rather than staying with the hotel, eventually coming into the hands of E.H. McKenzie, probably his grandson, in 1880.

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*Madoc Reeve Tom Deline (right) receives congratulations from outgoing Hastings County Warden Joe Best (left) after winning the Warden's seat last Wednesday.*

## Madoc Reeve "proud and humble" after election as County Warden

by Jeff Wilson

As Madoc Reeve Tom Deline received the robe and chain of office for the Warden of Hastings County, he said he felt "very humble", and at the same time "extremely proud".

In the inaugural ceremony which was held, last Wednesday in the County Council chambers in Belleville, Deline shared the moment with family, friends and fellow Madoc council members and staff.

Deline has served on County Council for 12 years as Reeve of the village and 16 years in municipal politics. During that time he served on the Social Services, Economic and Development and Finance Committees.

Deline ran against Sidney Township Reeve Jack Arthur, Deputy-Reeve Ron Hamilton and Village of Bancroft Reeve Lloyd Churchill and won in secret ballot during a morning caucus session. Deline takes over the position from Joe Best, the Reeve of Montegle Township.

As he enters his one year term as Warden, Deline says he feels the issues he will face include, planning committee restructuring as County council readies itself to downsize from the current 35 representatives to 27 in 1995. He said he would like to see the restructuring allow more members to be involved with the six standing committees.

Deline is also looking forward to rejuvenating the old Quinte Executive Committee, which consisted of Prince Edward County, Belleville, Trenton and Hastings County council members, to discuss various issues and have a strong working relationship between the councils.

As he takes on the many duties of Warden, Deline will have to leave behind the chairmanship of the Centre and South Hastings Waste Management Board. He said he will step down at the first meeting in the new year, probably in February.

"I can't honestly say I will miss it (being chairman)," Deline said.

As for continuing to sit on the board, Deline said he would have to discuss the matter with

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## Local artist creates new radio station's logo

by Jeff Wilson

A new radio station in Belleville needed something that was eye-catching and local artist Niki Nikiforuk created just what they needed.

After hearing the new soft rock station OJ 95.5 FM was going to be hitting the airwaves, Nikiforuk said he approached the station and offered to come up with its new logo.

With the "OJ" call letters the station wanted to use an orange juice type theme and Nikiforuk came up with a guitar-playing, Panama hat wearing orange character modelled after Stevie Ray Vaughn.

Nikiforuk painted the character on the station's truck which can be seen at all the station's promotions. The job took about 72 hours to complete, Nikiforuk said. The job included airbrushing, hand painting as well as the glass bead work.

As an added touch he used glass bead paint to produce a glow in the dark effect. He said when he was thinking up ideas he thought that since it gets dark so early at this time of the year, the logo needed to be visible at night as well.

In the future, Nikiforuk will produce the logo on T-shirts and plans to create a mural at the station's office.

*Niki Nikiforuk came up with orange an character for the new soft-rock radio station in Belleville OJ 95.5 FM. The logo on the truck has a unique feature. It glows when light is flashed on it at night. Glass bead paint was used to achieve the effect.*

## Quinte Crime Stoppers

Quinte Crime Stoppers is asking for your assistance in solving two break, enter and thefts that occurred at residences located in Elzevir Township, RR3 Madoc.

Madoc OPP report that sometime between Sept. 19 and Oct. 15 these two houses were broken into resulting in over $2,000 in damage and personal losses.

The list of stolen items includes: a beige and red 18" Stihl chain saw, a black and brown Sanyo microwave oven, a 20" color Hitachi television and a variety of fishing tackle was stolen from these residences.

If you have any information regarding these or any other unsolved case call Crime Stoppers. You may be entitled to a cash reward if your tip leads to an arrest. Your information will remain anonymous.

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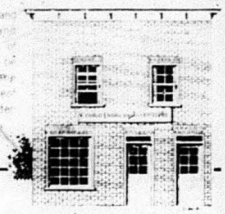

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## Toy Drive Donation

*Co-Chair of the Santa Claus Parade Committee Barb Bouchard (right) presented Madoc Village Fire Chief Roger Snider (left) with a cheque for $300 for the department's Toy Drive. The money was raised through generous donations from the service clubs, merchants and Madoc Township and other individuals, as well as Thursday Night Bingos.*

# Enjoy a fire safe Holiday

Every holiday season, many people suffer burn injuries or die as a result of carelessness. Trees lights, ornaments and fireplaces produce extra hazards in our homes at a time when the busy season may distract us from good fire safety practices. We want you to enjoy a safe holiday season, so your local fire department is offering the following advice:

* Always make sure you buy a freshly cut tree. Shedding needles are a sign of a dry tree and may create a serious hazard. Fresh needles won't break when bent. Once the tree is home, keep it outside until you can decorate it. Make sure the butt of the tree is kept in a snow bank or in water until you bring it indoors. When you are ready to decorate it, cut two or three inches off the base diagonally and place it in a sturdy tree stand. Make sure the tree stand has a good reservoir and keep it filled with water until you take the tree down.

* Place your tree away from any heat source and out of the exit ways. Discard all lighting sets that are trayed or damaged. Keep electrical bulbs away from curtains or combustible materials and never use candles on or near a tree. Keep all Christmas presents away from electrical bulbs.

* No more than three sets of lights should be used on an extension cord. Overloading cords can start a fire. Keep connections away from the water base and make sure that all extension cords are CSA (Canadian Standards Association) approved.

* use weatherproof **Outdoor** lights and cords for exterior decorations. These sets are not intended for prolonged exposure, so take them down as soon as the season is over.

* Unplug all lights before leaving the house before going to sleep.

Keep children and pets away from candles, electrical cords and fireplaces. Make sure that your children are aware of potential dangers of the Christmas tree.

* Dry trees can burn like a torch and spread the fire quickly. Remove them as soon as large amounts of needles fall. Never burn trees, decorations or wrapping paper in your fireplace. Wrappings and evergreens burn rapidly at high heat, throwing sparks which can set the roof on fire.

# OBITUARY

**Majorie Alena Toms**

Majorie Alena Toms of St. Lawrence Street, Madoc passed away on Thursday, Dec. 2, 1993 at Kingston General Hospital. She was in her 63rd year.

Mrs. Toms was born in Cooper the daughter of Walter and Jennie Eva Moore.

She was the beloved wife of the late Keith Toms.

Mrs. Toms was the dear mother of Robbie Toms, Marmora; Marilyn Ball, Tweed; Diane Hall, Peterborough; Wayne Toms, Peterborough; Carolyn Fukasaka, Scarborough; Bonnie Toms, Madoc and Janet Toms, Madoc.

She was the beloved sister of Bertha Lott, Picton; Shirley Kirby, Picton; Frank Moore, Picton; Helen Trinkwon, Picton; Audrey Armstrong, Bannockburn; Keitha Favelle, Toronto.

Her funeral service on Saturday, Dec. 4, 1993 at 1 p.m. at the Madoc Chapel McConnell Funeral Home with Rev. Teresa Ramsey. Interment followed at Cooper Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Garth Chapman, friend; Wayne Armstrong, nephew; Harold McQuigge, grandson; Mark McQuigge, grandson; Randy McQuigge, grandson.

# Madoc Branch 363 takes part in Veterans' Dedication Day

**by Una Adams**

On Sunday, Nov. 21 a delegation of 24 members from the branch boarded a bus provided compliments of Dan Jones to take part in a War Veterans Dedication Day.

Chaplain Terry Pigden, paraded in by a colour party under Sgt.-At-Arms Al Tremblett, conduced a memorial service at White Lake Cemetery in honor of all the veterans in the cemeteries that were to be visited.

Members placed wreaths at the following cemeteries: White Lake Pioneer, Lakeview, Madoc; White Lake, Catholic cemeteries, St. Lawrence St. E and Russel St. W., Madoc; Greenwood, Queensboro; Catholic Cemetery, Queensboro; Cooper Cemetery, Hazards Cemetery, Eldorado Cemetery and O'Hara Cemetery.

It was a very moving day as many of those attending placed wreaths at the gravesides of their husbands, fathers, brothers or other loved ones.

Refreshments were served at the branch following the three hour tour at which time president Gavin Adams thanked Dan Jones for providing the bus, John Bradley for the safe trip back and forth, and a special thanks to Bev Caterer, Poppy Chairman, for organizing the day.

Our thanks, from members of Branch 363, to all of the area merchants and individuals who made this day possible through their support of our Poppy Campaign by purchasing wreaths that were placed in honor of all the veterans.

# Jr. C Wildcats lose two more to North Frontenac and Ernestown

**by Jeff Wilson**

The Madoc Jr. "C" Wildcats experienced another rough weekend, dropping both starts 6-1 to North Frontenac and 9-3 to Ernestown on Sunday.

New goaltender Mike Summerfeldt of Campbellford, who was brought on board to replace Ray Smith, started both games.

In the week ago Sunday game in Ernestown, the Wildcats fell behind 5-0 in the first period and were never able to recover.

Madoc got on the board in the second period at the 11:11 mark when Pat Cassidy scored from Colin Broek and Jamie Allen.

The Wildcats' second goal came on the power play with Jo Johannson potting the marker. Colin Broek earned an assist. The goal made the score 7-2.

Ernestown scored three goals in the second period, including two on the power play.

The teams traded goals in the third period. Madoc's came on the power play and was scored by Jeff Gaffney with assists from Colin Broek and Jamie Allen.

In the home game, a week ago Saturday, the Wildcats were in the game early against North Frontenac, but two late goals in the second period helped earn the Flyers a 6-1 victory.

It looked as though Madoc would go into the third period down just one goal, but North Frontenac popped in two quick ones, one with 58 seconds and then another with 10 seconds remaining in the period.

The Flyers continued to roll in the third with short handed goal and then another just over a minute later to take a commanding 5-0 lead.

The Wildcats' Jamie Allen broke the shutout with an unassisted goal midway through the period.

The Flyers added one more.

The Wildcats next league game will be Friday, Dec. 17, Trenton, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Madoc's next home game will be Sunday, Dec. 19, against Picton, start time 3:30 p.m.

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# GATT changes to hit farm marketing hard, says Buchanan

The federal government is "wiggling off the hook" of maintaining supply management for dairy products, and the egg and poultry, as currently provided through the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT), says Ontario's Minister of Agriculture and Food Elmer Buchanan.

"The Liberal party was going to protect supply management. Now they're saying Canada's position doesn't have a lot of support from other countries," commented Buchanan.

Hastings-Peterborough MPP Buchanan feels "Canada's position has been to have other countries reduce their export sudsidies, primarily on grains and oil-seeds going into our export markets. On the other hand we want to maintain supply management on our dairy products and our egg and poultry industries to ensure a Canadian supply and stable prices."

As of Sept. 1. Europe had stockpiled 29-million tonnes of grain; 303,000 tonnes of butter; 128,000 tonnes of cheese and 908,000 tonnes of beef.

"Most of this ususally ends up being dumped on to the world market in one fashion or another, which distorts markets," explained Buchanan.

According to Buchanan the new GATT rules would let countries put their own tariffs on as high as they way and then reduce them over time.

"The Americans are already talking about eliminating these tariffs in the next round of GATT negotiations, which they are set to start right away. So tariffication is at best a temporary protection for supply management because they could be gone in two years," pointed out Buchanan.

American chicken producers and the American legislators believe they are entitled to 50 per cent of the Canadian chicken market.

"They can produce their chickens much cheaper because they do it in a factory type situation where the people doing the work get significantly less than anything we call minimum wage here," said Buchanan.

The Minister concluded, "It's going to be bad for our farmers. Eventually it will be for our consumers. There's a short term gain perhaps in having cheaper prices but in the long term we won't have any domestic production and we'll be at the mercy of foreign producers for some of our food supply. That could mean only one thing – higher prices for our consumers."

## Madoc Township Council Minutes

Madoc Township Council held its regular meeting on Dec. 6 beginning at 12 noon. Present were Reeve G. Reid, Dep-Reeve R. Sager (late), Councillors L. McCoy, R. Robinson, G. Burris and Road Superintendent T. Bruce.

It was moved by McCoy and seconded by Robinson that Council adopt the minutes of the November meetings as circulated. Carried.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by McCoy that the Road Superintendent purchase a new radio and cellular telephone for the Roads Dept. pickup. Carried.

The Road Superintendent and Council members

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## CHSS Christmas Concert 1993

*The Centre Hastings Secondary School Music Department presented its Christmas Concert 1993 last Wednesday at the school, featuring the Concert Band, Jazz Band and Vocal Ensemble.*

*(Top photo) The Vocal Ensemble sang a number of songs including: St. Louis Blues, Under The Sea, A Whole New World, All My Trials, Sister Act (Medley), In The Still of the Night, just to name a few.*

*(Bottom photo) The Jazz Band played Eli's Comin', Yardbird Suite, Stompin' At the Savoy, Birdland and Summertime.*

## Queensboro Women's Institute News

by Erika Gammage

There was an abundance of holiday spirit at the Dec. 8 meeting of the Queensboro Women's Institute.

Many members wore festive clothing and jewelry and brought items for a food box.

The roll call of "Bring your favorite Christmas decoration to display" was answered by eleven members. There were bells, snowmen, a child's kindergarten project and a topiary tree, to name a few.

Following a short business meeting, Roberta Ramsay read a racy poem called "Love, Love, Love" which had a surprise ending.

Erkia Gammage was the

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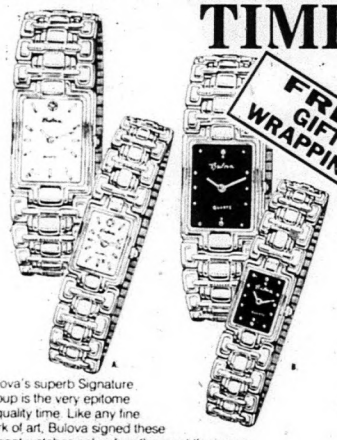
CHRISTMAS TIME



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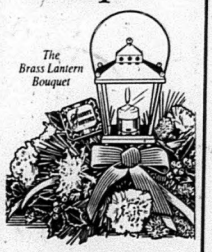


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## Madoc Public School Christmas Concert

*(Top photo) The Grade 3's played a few Christmas Carols on recorders during the Madoc Public School Christmas Concert held last Wednesday night at the school.*

*(Bottom photo) The Madoc Public School band played various Christmas songs and carols.*

## Queensboro Women's Institute News

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convenor for the evening. She read a short story by Erika Bombeck on the misadventures of baking a cake and then put members to work making cinnamon Santas.

The ladies overcame a few sticky problems and the Santas turned out well.

The program concluded with a draw. Margaret Bosley was the lucky winner of a stained-glass angel Christmas tree ornament.

Refreshments were served. Thanks go to the hostess Jennifer Bagshaw, to Elaine Gordon for the sandwiches and Hazel Gordon for the delicious cake.


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## Kelly Sedgwick joins 4-H'ers at 63rd national conference

### Kelly is one of 56 Canadians at national 4-H conference

**Norwood** - The 4-H program in Canada is celebrating a special birthday this year and during the 1993 National 4-H Conference in Toronto, Canada's premiere rural youth organization celebrated 80 years of 4-H in this country and the 60th anniversary of its national 4-H programs.

Included in the anniversary festivities held Nov. 10-14 was Kelly Sedgwick of Norwood who joined fellow 4-H'ers for this 63rd annual conference.

"The Future is ours in the Making" was the theme of the 1993 National 4-H Conference which drew 56 delegates from across Canada, six representatives from the United States and five Young Farmers from the United Kingdom.

"They all came together to learn new skills, meet new friends and have a great deal of fun," said Mike Nowosad, Executive Director of the Canadian 4-H Council.

A special feature of this year's conference, thanks to a generous grant provided by the W. Garfield Weston Foundation, allowed delegates the opportunity to "show their stuff" at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair.

Provincial Ministers of Agriculture, Canadian 4-H Council member representatives and members of the media were invited to the Royal on Nov. 13 to view the delegate issue group presentations which were a culmination of the week's work and a visit to the Agriculture Faculty at the University of Guelph.

Delegates presented informative sessions on topics ranging from "Animal Rights" to "Food Supply" and "Safety" to "Enhancing the Competitiveness of Canadian Agrifood Farms."

The National 4-H Conference is held in conjunction with National 4-H Week (Nov. 8-14) which celebrates the accomplishments of the 4-H program and honours thousands of members, leaders and supporters across the country who contribute to its success.

In addition to the conferences, 4-H week activities also included a national public awareness campaign, numerous special events organized by provincial 4-H Councils and local 4-H clubs and the annual Friends of 4-H Banquet.

An exciting portion of this year's banquet was the presen-

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## Otonabee's Stewart is County Warden for third straight term

**Otonabee Twp.** - Gary Stewart, deputy-reeve of Otonabee Township, has been elected Peterborough County Warden for his third straight term.

The re-election means Mr. Stewart will have served as head of Council for the full three-year term.

The last time anyone held the Warden's office for three consecutive terms was in 1877-79.

Mr. Stewart follows his late father Richard's footsteps. Richard was County Warden in 1952.

Mr. Stewart says he wants to investigate how the services provided to County ratepayers can be operated in a more

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## Sample sidewalk by-laws will get council's perusal

**Norwood** - Village councillors have been given sample copies of two sidewalk by-laws, one from Campbellford the other from Peterborough, in a further effort to come to grips with the issue of snow-covered walkways.

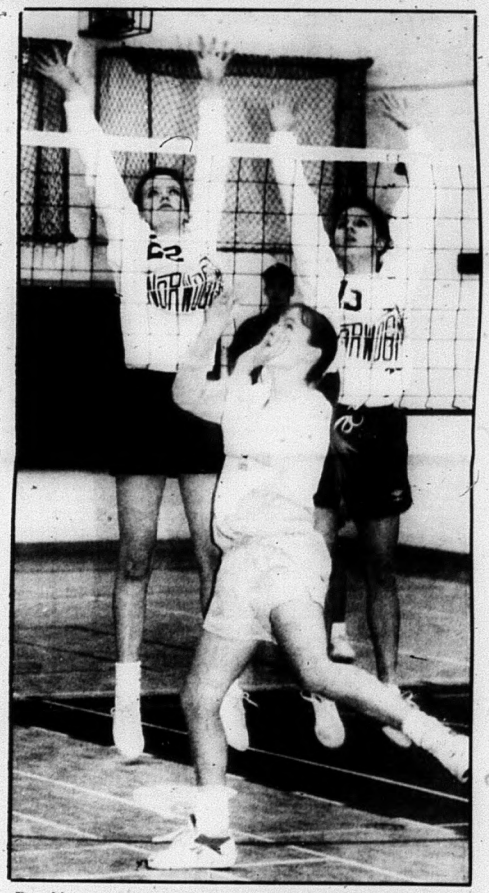
The issue was broached in November when Dummer Road resident Colleen Ireland approached council with a petition of concerns related to pedestrian safety during the winter months.

Mrs. Ireland's letter to council, and similar ones to the Peterborough County Board of Education and Community OPP Constable Doug Norman, was supported by another letter to council from Caroyln Donald of Wellington Street.

"I believe the sidewalks should all be cleared; either by the village workcrews or by the individual homeowners," Mrs. Donald writes in her Nov. 13 letter.

"In Campbellford, where I lived for 20 years, a bylaw requiring homeowners to remove the snow from the sidewalks in front of their properties was enacted and adhered to by the town's residents," she told council.

The issue of a sidewalk bylaw will be considered by council at a later meeting.



**Reaching out:** *Aleata Shepherd (left) and Jackie Galica (right) of the Norwood District High School Lady Knights junior volleyball squad make a synchronized jump at the net as an I.E. Weldon player gets ready for the volley.* **Photo/Bill Freeman**

## Try eating healthier this Christmas

**by Wilma Brady**

With Christmas quickly approaching we are frantically trying to shop and choose appropriate gifts for those dear to us.

No doubt the most precious gift we could give our families is assurance we are making every effort to maintain good health.

The Canadian Cancer Society provides us with a **Recipe for Success** which includes healthy eating and physical activity. We should mix equal amounts of both ingredients and pour into our lifestyle.

Healthy eating just requires some positive changes in eating habits. Some ideas to help make lower fat and higher fibre choices are:

* moderation is important - eat treats less often but do not deprive yourself entirely;

* choose whole grain and bran cereals and breads, fruits, vegetables and legumes, such as lentils and beans;

* use dairy products with 2% milk fat or less;

* eat smaller portions of leaner meats and poultry without the skin by making meals of pasta, rice, potatoes and beans;

* instead of deep frying, broil, bake, steam or microwave;

* go easy on gravies, creamy sauces and salad dressings - choose lemon juice, chili sauce, herbs and spices or low calorie dressings more often;

* pack a snack - a homemade muffin and some fruit from home;

* BEWARE of chocolate bars, doughnuts, croissants and potato chips - try popcorn with a sprinkle of parmesan cheese or pretzels.

Most of us eat out frequently. At restaurants we should

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## Wonderful, swinging rythms make NDHS's music night '94 a very special showcase event

**Norwood** - So much talent and so much good music. That's about the only way you could sum up Norwood District High School's annual music night (Nov. 30).

It was an evening when musicians from grade eight to OAC took to the concert stage and wowed a large and appreciative audience. And in a matter of months a group of Dixieland rythm aces will be doing the same thing to international audiences in Florida when they strut their stuff at Disney's Magic Kingdom.

In Anaheim you'll find the Mighty Ducks. In Norwood it's the Mighty Knights with colours a little more pleasing to the eye!

Music Night also gave the school's music director Bob Simmons a chance to honour some of the top music students from the past year starting with the top Grade Nine Bandperson and ending with the Most Valuable Bandperson.

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# More Abled Than Disabled

*by Barbara Bruce-Pealow*

## The General Manager gets blocked with a scooter

"She had me blocked in the disabled washroom," were the words of the General Manager at the Burrendale Hotel in Newcastle, Northern Ireland, on September 11, 1993.

Aureen Richardson's husband Raymond responded saying, "I wouldn't want to be blocked in there with her and I'm her husband."

The conversation came about as Aureen was using her scooter and drove to the toilet in the long narrow disabled washroom. She had made it there okay but found it difficult when she tried to get out.

With a manual wheelchair she would have been okay but with a 48-inch scooter there wasn't room to turn around. She tried going left forward and backing right. She hoped that with enough of these manoeuvres she could get out. After several tries she gave up. She backed to the doorway and held her arm out the door. The assistance that she needed was Raymond, as she was certain, that he would do the right thing and get it out.

Who saw her arm? It was the general manager. He came along and got near the inside wall. That was where he was "blocked" when Raymond came along.

Aureen cannot remember what happened after she got off the scooter. Maybe they put it out of gear, tipped it up and riding its back wheels it was steered out.

On several occasions, the general manager said, "Now don't you tell anybody about this. After that, Aureen always used the regular washroom. She walked in and out, but didn't wish to block herself or anyone else in there again.

On the final morning of their three-week stay, 24 Canadians boarded the bus for the Belfast airport. With typical Irish hospitality, the general manager also came on board and thanked the Elderhostel people for being with them.

He said: "Many funny things happened in these three weeks, but I wish to tell you the most amusing one". Then he told the entire group the story of being blocked in the washroom by a Canadian on a scooter.

Many thanks to Aureen Richardson for sharing her humorous experience in Ireland with us.

How about you! Have you ever had any experiences you might like to share with us, like humorous, embarrassing, scary situations or anything to help us look at the funny side of life.

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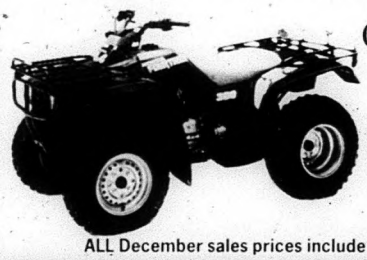

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# THE INTREPID SNOWMOBILER

## International Snowmobile Safety Week

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An OPP officer once commented to me that folks embarking on their favourite recreational holiday too often seem to leave their brains at home. Certainly accident statistics would indicate that recreation and responsibility are often mutually exclusive. Where is it written that it's okay to drink while boating or snowmobiling?

These are our two most popular motorized recreation activities. They are also our two most deadly.

And although they occur in different seasons, the problem, the headspace and the high risk age group are the same. Males between ages 18 and 35. Males who for one reason or another have an ego-driven, macho sense of omnipotence in place of common sense.

Males who live to push the envelope, to challenge the edge, to assert their dominance by pushing a large engine to its limits. Males who are aggressively into control. And into testing that boundary. Often with fatal consequence for themselves and their innocent victims.

Not every male snowmobiler is so pre-occupied. But having been there, I can attest that an aggressive spark lurks dormant somewhere in most male psyches, always waiting to be fanned from dormancy into an all-consuming flame. And that occasional burst of fire is far more dangerous than the controlled risk-taking of the practised professional. It's the amateurs who kill.

Whatever causes the "I-can-get-away-with-more-than-the-next-guy, it-won't-happen-to-me-" syndrome, the result is a bad rap for all snowmobilers. Yet, with Ontario snowmobiling participation up over 37% in two years, fatalities have remained essentially static. Not to excuse or belittle those deaths, but the fact is that we have been doing a better job of putting out our responsible riding and no drinking message. And snowmobilers are responding. So why does the **perception** remain that snowmobiling is dangerous?

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# Christmas foods

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select:

* steamed fish, small broiled steak or baked/grilled chicken without the skin;
* clear soups, not creamy ones;
* salad dressing on the side;
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# Kelly Sedgwick

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tation of Canada 125 Commemorative medals to a number of 4-H Council and Foundation Past Presidents and Honorary Members.

The generous support of program sponsors is an essential element of any 4-H event, Kelly said.

Sears Canada Inc.'s support, under the Delegate Sponsorship Program, made it possible for Kelly to attend this year's conference.

On behalf of the 1993 National 4-H Conference delegates, Kelly said the Canadian 4-H Council would like to thank Sears Canada Inc., Air Canada, Robin Hood Multifoods Inc., Goodyear Canada Inc., Bridgestone Firestone Canada Inc., Monsanto Canada Inc., Agriculture Canada, Ford New Holland, John Deere Ltd. and all the other sponsors involved for their significant contributions to the success of this year's program.


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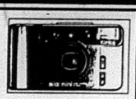

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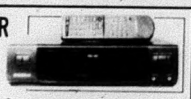

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Hillcrest, coached by Rob Cawthorn, won out over Percy in three games by scores of 15-12, 2-15 and 15-12 in boys' competition while the Hillcrest girls, coached by Layne Lewis, captured the title by virtue of 15-5, 14-16 and 17-15 victories over the Kent Kodiaks.

Convenor Elvin Petherick paid tribute to all the coaches for their assistance with officiating and "picking up the slack" when he had to leave to return to Kent for a time.

In boys' round-robin play the scores were: Hillcrest vs Kent, 15-2, 15-4; Hillcrest vs Hastings, 15-14, 15-12; Hillcrest vs Percy, 15-13, 15-10; Percy vs Hastings, 15-5, 15-6; Percy vs Kent, 15-12, 15-4; Kent vs Hastings, 13-15, 15-11.

In girls' round-robin play the scores were: Hillcrest vs Kent, 13-15, 15-13; Hillcrest vs Hastings, 15-3, 15-4; Hillcrest vs Percy, 15-6, 15-8; Percy vs Hastings, 15-7, 15-4; Percy vs Kent, 15-8, 15-4; Kent vs Hastings, 15-2, 3-15.

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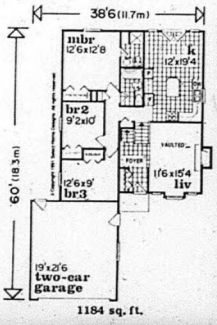


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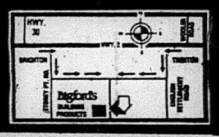

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## Hornets tripped up by St. Ann's 9-5

**Norwood** - Despite getting a two-goal performance from Jamie Heffernan, Norwood's Home Hardware bantam Hornets dropped a 9-5 exhibition match to visiting St. Ann's Wednesday night.

Also scoring for Norwood were Cale Gontier, Pat Laurie and Scott Christie. Picking up a pair of assists was Kristian Partington while singles went to Shane Maddison, Laurie, Ben Walsh, Gontier, Greg Sedgwick and kevin Deen.

Chris Robertson scored the hat trick for the PCCHL squad..

Norwood's Shane Maddison and Brian Smith were tossed after attempting to fight on the ice.

## Hard working novices double up Deseronto

**Norwood** - Norwood's Begg Fuels novice Hornets are discovering that a full three periods of hard play can produce positive results and Friday's 4-2 win over Deseronto was certainly proof of that.

Not only did the squad take the win, they hustled their way back from a 1-0 deficit with some powerful play and good defence.

Trailing 1-0, Norwood finally got on the board at the 5:37 mark of the second frame when Brent Begg, from Tyler Heffernan and Dana Kennelly, broke the shutout.

Less than a minute later, Alex Graham, with help from Dave and George Christopolous, put Norwood in front 2-1.

Norwood added some insurance after George Christopolous notched an unassisted marker with 7:44 to go in the match. Begg, from Heffernan and Kennelly put the game on ice 1:12 later.

Brad Lytle was between the pipes for the Norwood Hornets.

Scoring for Deseronto were Anthony Chant and Devin Beaudrie.

## Norwood juvies clobber Ennismore

**Norwood** - Norwood's Branch 300 juvenile Hornets pounded visiting Ennismore 9-3 night in Hastings and District league action.

John Hamilton, Jason Bryan and Rob Rogers each fired a pair of goals to lead Norwood while Jason Jones and Jason Rodgers added single markers.

Earning two assists for the home side were Rogers, Bryan, Hamilton and Mike Kerber.

Scoring for Ennismore were Jim Kavanagh, Jeff Pagide and Jamie Arcan.

The game ended on curfew with 11:06 to go in the third period.

Hockey


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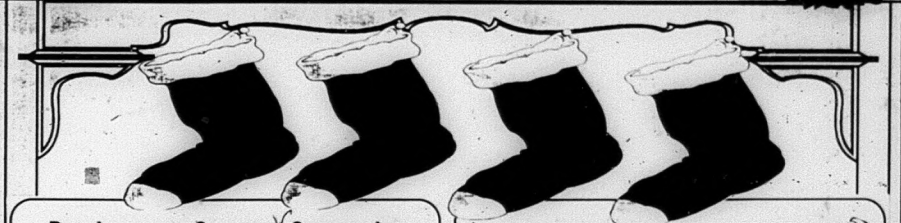

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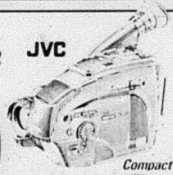

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# International Snowmobile Safety Week

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In part, we are fighting history. Ask any non-snowmobiler about snowmobile deaths and you'll still hear of beheadings by barbed wire or frozen stiffs lost in the wilderness. Those phenomena, peculiar mostly to the sixties, if not entirely apocryphal, are still entrenched in popular snowmobiling mythology. As is going though the ice, unfortunately still a leading means of self-destruction. Any snowmobiling death only serves to reinforce these misconceptions and feed the negativity.

The media has been no help in the past. Although attitudes are changing, the continual reporting of snowmobile "bad news" stories has only served to perpetrate the myths that snowmobiling is dangerous and snowmobilers are yahoos. Recent editorial efforts to report the bad news in a larger context balanced with good news stories and to expand snowmobiling coverage, will go a long way towards rectifying public perceptions about our sport.

For our part, most snowmobilers have not been pro-active enough on safety issues. We have not fully imported the "RIDE" (Reduce Impaired Drinking Everywhere) mentality, so successful on our roadways, onto our snowmobile trails. Many of us still ride too fast, take a few too many chances, and engage in occasional proven high risk behaviour like riding at night, or off-trails, or in unfamiliar terrain, or even moderately under the influence. And each time we do, we challenge our fate.

We also challenge our ability to continue snowmobiling. Permanent disability aside, our snowmobiling careers could have many other possible terminations. Insurance companies, reacting to a combination of public perceptions and hard fact, could price us beyond premium affordability. Governments at any level could make our sport too restrictive in an effort to legislate safety. Private and public landowners could close our trails. The families, couples, seniors and tourists who represent our largest growth potential could be scared off. Or, with increased danger, it could simply cease to be fun. Like the ancient city of Pompeii, we could be on our last seven days.

Or we could change our ways faster than we already are.

International Snowmobile Safety Week, December 12 to 18 is an ideal opportunity for each Ontario snowmobiler to join snowmobilers world-wide in taking stalk of his or her own personal responsible snowmobiling policy. It is the chance to resolve to put safety first this season. It is the occasion to consider the horrible, final reality of a snowmobile accident: a life-threatening situation with your tenuous chance of survival drastically reduced by pain, cold, time, distance, and lack of nearby supplies, facilities and experience.

All for a moment's inattention or a minute's triumph. If you have any doubt about the odds stacked against an irresponsible snowmobiler, call the OFSC at 705/739-7669 and order a copy of their dramatic new safety video "NO SECOND CHANCE". It should be required viewing for every snowmobiler. It should be a mandatory reminder for every male rider. It's certain to reduce the number of brains left at home. Until the next time, Happy Trails, and remember, Sled Smart: RIDE SAFE, RIDE SOBER.

For snowmobiling info call the OFSC at 705/739-7669. For winter tourism info call 1-800-ONTARIO. For local information call Percy Boom River Rats Snow/Club, 705-653-5017; Havelock & District, 416-778-3764; Crowe Valley SC, 613-472-2114, 613-472-3107; Ball Mountain SC, 705-877-2058; Centre Hastings Snow/Club, 613-473-2273.

## Snetsinger hat trick helps Norwood slam Deseronto 10-2

Kirk Snetsinger picked up a hat trick as Norwood's J.J. Stewart midget Hornets walked over visiting Deseronto 10-2 Wednesday night in Hastings and District League action.

Firing two goals was Jon Seabrooke while single markers went to Kirk VanWill, Brad Walst, Barclay Begg, Jon Quinlan and Pat Laurie.

Ryan Sedgwick had a fine five-point night thanks to his playmaking skills while Brendan Laurie added three assists and Seabrooke and Kristian Partington picked up two helpers. Single assists went to Cale Gontier and Walst.

Scoring for the visitors were Ben Green and Travis Ratcliffe.

## PDHIA gift exchange and pot luck is Dec. 16

**Peterborough** - The Peterborough and District Head Injury (PDHIA) pot luck and gift exchange will be held Dec. 16 at the MaryCrest Home from 7 pm until 10 pm.

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Below is a list of those awards:

**Top Grade Nine Bandperson** - Michael Wrightly.
**Tope Grade Ten Bandperson** - Rosemary McMillan.
**Top Grade Eleven Bandperson** - Jackie Galica.
**Top OAC Bandperson** - Tina Embleton.
**Tracey Stoughton Memorial Trophy (Top Senior Bandperson)** - Kerri Stillwell.
**Most Valuable Bandperson** - Krystal Reynolds.
**Special Awards** - Sharon Cahill, Heather Caldwell, Bea Galica, Kathy Reynolds, Audrey Rollings, Tina Embleton and Dave Eastwood.

Performing brilliantly Tuesday night were the Junior Concert Band; the Jazz Band under the direction of Dave Eastwood; the Senior Concert band and the Senior Dixieland Band.


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## New town hall furnace installed just in time

**Norwood** - The new town hall furnace has been installed just in time for a bout of real winter weather.

The new furnace was installed during the first week in December after members of the village's property committee studied three price quotations.

The new furnace, installed for the lowest price ($1872.50) by Ray Ireland Heating and Mechanical Ltd. is "in and running," Clerk-Administrator Glenn Girven told council Monday night.

## Otonabee's Stewart is

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cost-effective way.

"It is time to work co-operatively among municipalties in the interests of the taxpayers," Mr. Stewart said after his re-election.

Working with Council and administration to foster a more cost-effective approach to the delivery of services will be in the best interests of the public, he said.

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## Help Wanted

## Coming Events

ANYONE For chess? Form a club by phoning A. Gibson, 705-877-2619.

CAMPBELLFORD Legion Dabber Bingo every Wednesday night. Upstairs Hall. Improved game structure! Starts 7:10 p.m. 5 warm-up games at $30 per game. Regular games $40 & $50. Specials $100. Legion Special $150. Jackpot $1,000, remains at 55 numbers. $100 added each week until won. Outside Square $50. Consolation Prize $250. Bonanza 50/50 plus exchange. 25 cents. For a trial period of 3 months as of Oct. 6, 1993.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY
Eldorado — Madoc Township Rec. Centre
December 31, 1993
Music: "COUNTRY PRIDE"
9:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.
Hot Smorg, Favours, etc.
$45.00/couple
Get your tickets now!
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The Royal Canadian Legion
Hastings Branch 106
HASTINGS LEGION CHRISTMAS BINGO
Wednesday, December 15
Early Birds 7:30 p.m.
*EVERYONE WELCOME*

## Coming Events

MARMORA Legion Dabber Bingo. Monday nights. Early bird starts 7:30 p.m., 18 regular games at $20 each. 6 specials, plus Bonanza and $1,000 Jackpot in 55 numbers.

NORWOOD Lions' Club Dauber Bingo & Bonanza - Game every Tuesday night at Norwood Town Hall. 2 Early Bird games - 7:30 p.m. Regular games start at 7:45 p.m. 2 Share the Wealth, $1,000 Jackpot stays at 55 numbers, increases $50 each week until won.

BINGO
Madoc Twp. Rec. Centre, Eldorado
Every Thursday Evening
Early Bird 7:30 p.m.
*JACKPOT MUST GO EVERY NIGHT!*
*110 Players or less $500.00*
*Over 111 Players $1,000.00*
*OVER 150 PLAYERS $1,500.00*
*Thurs. Dec. 16*
*TURKEY BINGO Eldorado*

CAMPBELLFORD Kinsmen Bingo, Thursday nights, starting at 7:00 p.m., Legion Hall. $1,200 Jackpot starting at 50 numbers, increasing weekly until won. Mini Jackpot starting at $500 in 55 numbers or less. $100 added weekly until won. Ask about our Looney Bingo!

BINGO
Thursday Night Kinsmen Bingo
December 16, 1993 7:10 p.m.
Legion Hall, Campbellford
$1,200 Jackpot in 50 numbers or less
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Try our Loony Bingo!
Estimated Loony Jackpot $1100.
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## Coming Events

MARMORA LIONS SUNDAY NIGHT BINGO
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$40 regular games
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Welcome To Candlelight Service at Cordova Mines United Church
Dec. 22nd at 7:00 p.m.
Refreshments Following Service

BINGO
Havelock Rotary Club
Bingo at Havelock Legion,
8 Ottawa St. W. Thursdays 7:00 p.m.
Early Birds 7:30 p.m. Regular Bingo 8:00 p.m.

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# Madoc peewees A finalists in Marmora tournament

by Kathy Leaver

The Madoc peewees had a busy month, participating in six home games, six away games and one tournament.

The following is a list of statistics for November:

Nov. 1 - league game - Madoc 3, Warkworth 0 - goals - Jesse Chapman, Ryan Vaness, Jereme Francis; assists - Adam Hagerman (2), Darrell Baumken (1), Ryan Vaness (1).

Nov. 5 - exhibition game - Madoc 3, Frankford 8 - goals - Adam Hagerman (2), Chris Nickle (1); assists - Chris Nickle (1), Darrell Baumken (1).

Nov. 8 - league game - Madoc 12, Havelock 3 - goals - Chris Nickle (5), Darrell Baumken (2), Jesse Chapman (2), Ryan Vaness (2), Adam Hagerman (1); assists - Darrell Baumken (4), Jesse Chapman (3), Jereme Francis (3), Adam Hagerman (2), Mike Empey (1), Mike Leaver (1), Chad Cassidy (1), Ryan McCoy (1).

Nov. 11 - league game - Madoc 9, Havelock 3 - goals - Adam Hagerman (6), Jesse Chapman (1), Chris Nickle (1), Jereme Francis (1); assists - Jereme Francis (3), Ryan McCoy (2), Jasong Curlette (2), Adam Hagerman (1), Rodney Wilman (1), Jesse Chapman (1), Darrell Baumken (1), Ryan Vaness (1).

Nov. 13 - Marmora Tournament - A finalist - game one - Madoc 4, Ajax 2 - goals - Mike Leaver (2), Jason Curlette (1), Adam Hagerman (1); assists - Mike Leaver (1), Chris Nickle (1), Adam Hagerman (1), Adam Francis (1), Ryan Vaness (1). Game two - Madoc 3, Deseronto 0 - goals - Adam Hagerman (hat trick); assists Ryan McCoy (2), Chris Nickle (1), Ryan Vaness (1). Game three - Madoc 4, Warkworth 6 - goals - Chad Cassidy (1), Mike Leaver (1), Darrell Baumken (1), Adam Hager (1); assists - Chris Nickle (2), Jereme Francis (2), Ryan McCoy (1).

Nov. 15 - exhibition game - Madoc 6, Norwood 2 - goals - Chris Nickle (hat trick), Rodney Wilman (1), Darrell Baumken (1), Ryan Vaness (1); assists - Jesse Chapman (3), Adam Hagerman (2), Mike Leaver (1).

Nov. 19 - league game - Madoc 10, Norwood 3 - goals - Adam Hagerman (hat trick), Ryan Vaness (2), Ryan McCoy (2), Jereme Francis (2), Chris Nickle (1); assists - Adam Hagerman (4), Darrell Baumken (3), Jesse Chapman (2), Jason Curlette (1), Mike Empey (1).

Nov. 20 - exhibition game - Madoc 5, Campbellford 11 - goals - Chris Nickle (1), Jesse Chapman (1), Ryan Baumken (1), Darrell Baumken (1), Jereme Francis (1); assists - Chris Nickle (2), Adam Hagerman (2), Jesse Chapman (1).

Nov. 22 - exhibition game - Madoc 6, Marmora 1 - goals - Chris Nickle (hat trick) Adam Hagerman (1), Jesse Chapman (1), Mike Leaver (1); assists - Jesse Chapman (2), Chris Nickle (1), Jereme Francis (1), Darrell Baumken (1), Chad Cassidy (1).

Nov. 23 - exhibition game - Madoc 0, Bancroft 3.

Nov. 26 - exhibition game - Madoc 4, Tweed 7 - goals - Adam Hagerman (2), Ryan Vaness (1), Rodney Wilman (1); assists - Jesse Chapman (2), Jereme Francis (2), Chris Nickle (1).

Nov. 27 - exhibition game - Madoc 6, Marmora 0 - goals - Mike Leaver (hat trick), Jesse Chapman (1), Jason Curlette (1), Chris Nickle (1); assists - Adam Hagerman (2), Chris Nickle (2), Darrell Baumken (1), Jason Curlette (1), Jereme Francis (1), Chad Cassidy (1).

# Madoc Novice A's capture Hastings' tournament title

by Kathy Leaver

On Nov. 1, the Madoc Novice A's travelled to Stirling for an exhibition game and shouldered an 8-1 loss. Scoring Madoc's lone goal was Jonathon Miller assisted by Jim Meraw.

The following week, Madoc played two games. On Nov. 5, our boys met Norwood for the first time and came out on top with a 6-1 victory. Goals and assists are not available at this time.

The next day, Madoc faced off with Tamworth, and again registered a win with a 6-2 score. Goals and assists will be reported at a later date.

The Madoc Novice A's played host to Deseronto on Nov. 12 and notched a 5-0 shutout. Scoring Madoc's goals were Scott Carswell, Jim Meraw, Justin Cassidy, Jonathon Miller and Robbie Reynolds. Assists went to Josh Leaver, Robbie Reynolds, Tyler Gordon, Jim Meraw, Greg Smith, Adam Wood, Jonathon Miller and Justin Cassidy.

Nov. 19 found the Madoc Novice A's on the road to Havelock and after a very close game our boys brought home a 4-3 win. Scott Carswell led the scoring for Madoc with three goals and Justin Cassdiy added the single. Josh Leaver registered three assists, with Jim Meraw and Mike Stein receiving one apiece.

On Nov. 20 the team participated in the Hastings Novice Tournament. Their first game found them matched against Peterborough and Madoc came out on the winning end of a convincing 11-1 score. Robbie Reynolds fired in five goals for Madoc, with Josh Leaver putting in two, and Justin Cassidy, Scott Carswell, Jim Meraw and Tyler Gordon adding singles. Assisting on the goals were Josh Leaver (2), Robbie Reynolds (2), Scott Carswell (2), Tyler Gordon (1), Greg Smith (1), Jim

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# Madoc Novice A's capture Hastings' tournament

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Meraw (1), Justin Cassidy (1), Adam Wood (1) and Mike Stein (1).

Madoc then faced the Warsaw Novices in game two and pulled off an 11-1 victory. Adam Wood, Josh Leaver and Scott Carswell put in two goals each for Madoc, with Jim Meraw, Justin Cassidy, Greg Smith, Tyler Gordon and Robbie Reynolds scoring one apiece. Jonathon Miller assisted on three goals, with Justin Cassidy and Robbie Reynolds assisting on two, and Josh Leaver and Jim Meraw with one assist each.

The final game played against Douro resulted in a 9-1 win for Madoc and the A championship award. MVP honors went to Robbie Reynolds, Adam Wood and our goaltenders Donald Alexander and David Calvert.

On Nov. 26, the Madoc Novice A's hosted Colbourne and registered an 11-1 win. Justin Cassidy and Robbie Reynolds received hat tricks, Josh Leaver popped in two, and Scott Carswell, Jim Meraw and Mike Stein added singles. Congratulations to every member of our Novice A team for receiving at least one assist each, including both goalies, in the above game.

# Fleming receives 2nd Black belt

Madoc martial arts instructor Terry Fleming is now a 2nd Degree Black Belt in Jiu Jitsu.

Fleming passed a test at the Canadian Jiu Jitsu Association exams on Nov. 28 in Toronto. The proper term for this rank in Japanese is Ni-Dan. Terry's new rank is also sanctioned by the World Council of Jiu Jitsu Organizations.

Jiu Jitsu is a very old martial art. Actual documentation refers to a Jiu Jitsu match in the 1st Century B.C. in Japan. Since then, hundreds of styles of Jiu Jitsu have developed.

Terry also practises Karate in which he holds a 2nd Degree. He teaches in Marmora at the Marmora Martial Arts Club and in Cloyne and is a long-standing member of the Madoc CHSS Club.

In related news, local martial arts youngsters are involved in Christmas exams. Instructors are particularly looking for strong attitude and self-discipline, hallmarks of martial arts training.

The Madoc Tai Chi Club has been a very busy place since its start in October. Instructor Stephanie Leman reports that there are four levels of experience practising concurrently in a class. People are learning therapeutic Chi Kung and Yang Style Tai Chi from Stephanie.

Local martial artists recently attended a Karate seminar hosted by Kai Shin master Monty Guest. The seminar was held in Tamworth. It's the first time that Monty Guest has held a seminar in the area.

# New Community Advisory Group holds first meeting

The Centre Hastings Secondary School Community Advisory Group (CAG) held their first meeting on Nov. 24.

Discussion was held regarding the structure and format the CAG may wish to adopt, possible responsibilities the CAG could assume and numerous issues the group could begin to address.

Those in attendance agreed that the newly-formed CAG had taken a positive first step towards making a significant contribution to CHSS, and are enthusiastic about the potential of an effective CAG.

The next meeting has been scheduled for Jan. 19 at 7 p.m. at CHSS. The CAG is welcoming new participants and is particularly conscious of ensuring that all geographical areas being served by CHSS are represented.

If you are interested in becoming involved or wish more information, please call Kim Potvin at 473-4251.


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# LETTER TO THE EDITOR

## Where was Liberals' commitment on NAFTA?

Open letter to Larry McCormick, MP for Hastings, Frontenac, Lennox and Addington:

Dear Mr. McCormick:

During the recent campaign you stated numerous times at the All-Canadidates' meetings that if the Liberals formed a government after the election they would renegotiate the FTA. When questioned on this topic by one member of the audience at the Sydenham High School meeting on the evening of Oct. 20th, who asked you how this could be achieved in view of the fact that the FTA did not contain any provision for renegotiation, but only for cancellation?

You stated rhetorically that if it (the FTA) was cancelled, wouldn't the Americans then be willing to renegotiate it?

Also, Mr. McCormick you stated many times at these meetings that you would not be "muzzled" by your party.

During the election campaign your leader, Jean Chretien, stated on many occasions that the NAFTA agreement, especially as it related to the energy provisions, was unacceptable and would have to be renegotiated before it would be ratified by the Liberals if they were to form the government after Oct. 25th.

Mr. Chretien plainly stated on these occasions that Canada must obtain the same exemptions with respect to its energy resources as Mexico obtained for theirs. On Oct. 25th you were elected by the voters of Hastings, Frontenac, Lennox and Addington to represent this riding in the House of Commons. Your party won a majority, has now formed the government and has just announced that NAFTA will be ratified as is, without any concessions, especially no concessions with respect to Chapter Six which deals with the articles pertaining to the Energy and Basic Petrochemical provisions.

Given these facts I trust you will be speaking out against ratification of the NAFTA both in public and in the House of Commons and that, in the event that the NAFTA is formally ratified by your government, you will take the honorable action and resign your seat.

**Sincerely,**

**Robert E. Hilson,**
**National Party of Canada.**

# ral Loan Pool newest OMAF strategy

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as the message deliv- Agriculture and Food Elmer Buchanan at io Federation of Agri- annual convention.

roviding long-term, redit with reasonable e rural Loan Pool will helpo give farm l communities the stability to build their ng communities," anan.

County MPP Paul air of the Rural Loan Group, said: "The de valuable contribu- e creation and deve- of this innovative It's important that s generated by rural will be recycled into wn communities, job and business ties for farmers and l residents."

Under the Rural Loan Pool Program, arural Ontario residents will be able to invest savings in Agricultural Guaranteed Investment Certificates which will be elible for RRSP classification. The money fromn the sale of AgGICs will be "pooled" by the eligible financial institutions-participating credit unions and caisses popularies. Those pooled funds will be used within the community to make loans to farmers and other rural residents for agriculture or agriculture-related financing.

Loans and mortgages to a maximum of $500,000 will be offered at reasonable rates to cover capital costs associated with on-farm value-added ventures; cover capital costs associated with off-farm, farm-related ventures in rural Ontario; buy moveable farm machinery and equipment, consolidate farm debt; purchase farm real estate; and construct or improve farm buildings or land.

The Rural Loan Pool Program is the final component of OMAF's Agricultural Investment Strategy which offers Ontario farmers the stability of long-term tools for farm financial arrangements.

"Helping farm and rural communities create jobs by helping them grow stronger and more diversified is a key goal of the Agricultural Investment Strategy," said Buchanan. The strategy's first component, the Commodity Loan Program, introduced in June 1992, has already provided more than $45 million in loans to Ontario farmers. Other components introduced include the Education and Expertise Program and the Private Mortgage Guarantee Program.

Negotiations for adminstration of the program are under way with participating credit unions and caisses popularies. Advice from local decision committees will help make community input an important element in the loan decision-making process.

The program was developed in consultation with a Rural Loan Working Group

## Madoc District Hunters and Anglers host Adventurers in target practice

District Hunters and Club recently hosted elleville Adventurers of target practice.

y, Nov. 27 was pour- and overcast, but ere high when seven ers and their counse- ved at the Club, two miles east of

Richard Parks and Chris Marsh of Madoc Hunters and Anglers volunteered their time and experience to see that the day ran smoothly. Parks and Marsh both agreed that this was one way to promote the club in a positive light to future enthusiasts of this sport.

The club can provide a number of disciplines, including archery, trap, rifle and pistol shooting. Projects that are currently in the planning stages are: improving the grounds, and constructing a 300 yard range.

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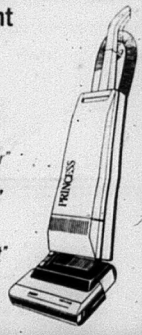


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*CHSS News*

# National team members conduct wrestling clinic

by Krista Reid and Anita Ramski

It's hard to believe, but first semester is almost over. The students that are preparing for University will be glad to hear that their applications are now being typed up for the Ontario Univeristy Application Centre. College applications will be handed out soon to all students that are interested.

There will be a Math League Contest on Dec. 7. Any students that would like to get involved in this should visit Mr. Mound.

Wrestling has started up again, Gary Holmes and Paul Ragusa, National team members provided a clinic for all the Bay of Quinte high school wrestlers on Wednesday, Dec. 1.

The CHSS Concert Band will be holding their Annual Christmas Concert on Dec. 8 at 7:30 p.m. The cost is $2 for adults and $1 for students. The proceeds will go towards the purchase of new instruments and music.

CHIC is keeping the Christmas spirit alive with activities such as Red-and-Green Day, Snowman-building Contests (without snow, now there's a challenge!), and a new one, the Human Christmas present. Classes will have a chance to wrap their teachers up like presents.

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*The Primary Choir sang their own rendition of the "12 Days of Christmas" with pictures as visual aids.*

*This choir sang an interesting version of "Santa Got Stuck In My Chimney".*

## Madoc Reeve "proud and humble"

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village council, and said he would sit on the board as the village's representative if that was his council's wish.

After two years in the hot seat as chairman of the waste management board, Deline said he is quite satisfied with the progress made in the process while under his direction. While he was chairman, the compensation policy was passed, recycling and reuse, hazardous waste programs in operation, and the Master Plan strategy in place.

Deline said he will miss the chance as chairman to speak his opposing views on the landfill selection process, but said he will continue to make his views known as Warden.

Before he steps down as chairman, Deline said he hopes to meet with the Ministry of the Environment along with the other Master Plan Study groups to voice their concerns on the landfill site selection process. He also hopes to meet with the Ministry, early in the new year, to discuss the direction the Centre and South Hastings Waste Management Board should take at this point in the process.

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# GRADUATION

**JENNIFER JOHNSTON** of Madoc, Ontario, was awarded a Bachelor of Physical and Health Education Degree from the University of Toronto on November 22, 1993.

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# Madoc Township Council Minutes

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discussed a number of road projects available to complete the 1993 year as well as plans for road construction and maintenance activities for 1994.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by Sager that Council receive and file the report of the Chief Building Official for the month of November. Carried.

It was moved by Robinson and seconded by Sager that the report of the Animal Control Officer for the month of November be adopted as circulated. Carried.

It was moved by Robinson and seconded by McCoy that the Clerk write to the Ontario Heritage Foundation to ask why the Godfrey property is of significant interest to the Foundation more than other local lands and to determine whether access to the property is public since they argue that it should be tax exempt and if so, why there are "No Trespassing" signs posted. Carried.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by Sager that Council receive and file the correspondence items as presented. Carried.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by Sager to approve the minutes of the November meeting of the Madoc Township Recreation Centre Committee. Carried.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by Robinson that Council approve the General Voucher 11-93 as circulated. Carried.

It was moved by McCoy and seconded by Sager that the Road Voucher 11-93 be approved for payment as circulated. Carried

It was moved by Robinson and seconded by McCoy that the November voucher for the Madoc Township Recreation Centre Committee be approved as presented. Carried.

It was moved by Robinson and seconded by Burris that the Clerk-Treasurer be instructed to send any arrears of business taxes to the Small Claims Court for collection when they are more than one year in arrears. Carried.

It was moved by McCoy and seconded by Sager that the Township provide Christmas turkeys for the regular staff. Carried.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by Sager that the Livestock Valuer's reports be approved for payment as presented. Carried.

It was moved by McCoy and seconded by Robinson that the proposed addendum to the Livingwood subdivision agreement regarding the stormwater management access route be forwarded to the municipal solicitor for his comments and approval. Carried.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by Robinson that Council go into bylaws. Carried.

902-93 - given three readings and passed - a bylaw to authorize a lease agreement between Mrs. Jean Bulley and the Township of Madoc.

903-93 - given three reading and passed - a bylaw to authorize a lease agreement between Mr. Robert Marshal and Mrs. Carol Anne Marshall and the Township of Madoc.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by McCoy that Council resume. Carried.

It was moved by Sager and seconded by Robinson that the Clerk have registered in the Registry Office the appropriate documents to facilitate the transfer of lands in Pt. Lot 10, Conc. 6 from the Ministry of Transportation to the Township of Madoc. Carried.

The next meeting of Council - 11:30 a.m. - Dec. 22, 1993.

Mr. Paul Doran presented the Council with the proposed insurance policy and schedule of coverages for the year 1994.

It was moved by Sager and seconded by Robinson that the Township of Madoc retain OME Insurance for 1994 as per the policy and quotation submitted by Mr. Dorman. Carried.

It was moved by Burris and seconded by McCoy that the Clerk pay the appointed municipal officials their annual stipends as provided by bylaw. Carried.


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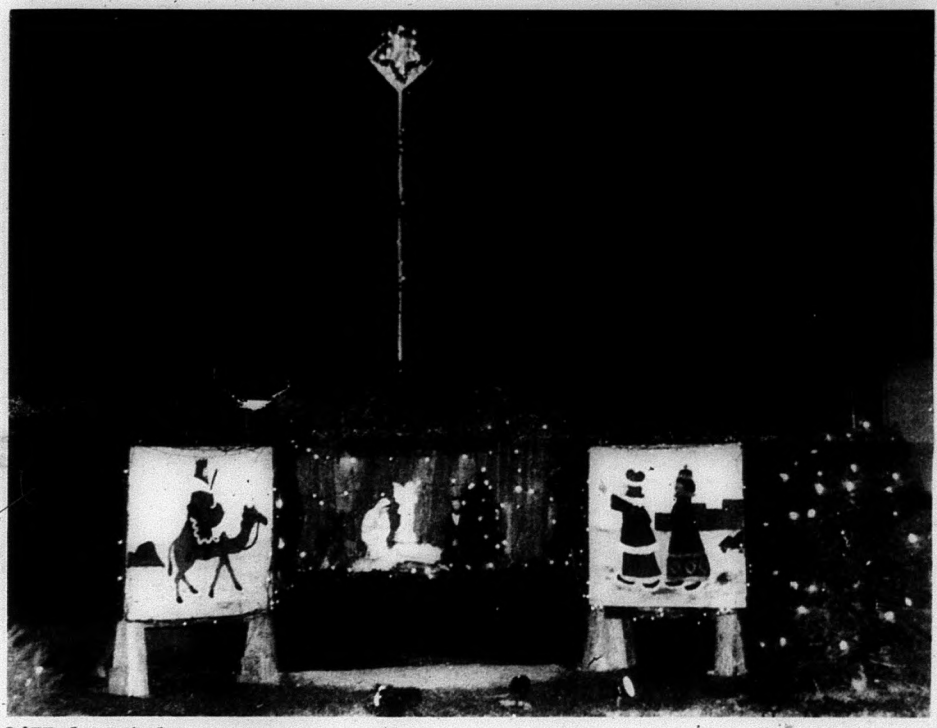

## O'Holy Night

*This nativity scene set up by Bill Lahey helps set the mood for Christmds in the Village of Madoc each year. Happy Holidays from the staff at the Madoc Review.*

## Wildcats earn tie against Trenton

by Jeff Wilson

The Madoc Jr. "C" Wildcats received a bit of an early Christmas last Friday night in Trenton, earning a 6-6 tie. If not for two goals in the last two minutes of the game by the Golden Hawks, Madoc would have earned a much needed win.

In the first period, Madoc jumped out to an early 2-0 lead on power play goals from Jason Aggett and and Matthew Carles. Dan Balance, Ron Hunt, Jeff Gaffney and newcomer John Graham all earned assists.

Trenton stormed back near the end of the period, scoring three goals to take the lead.

Madoc tied the score in the second on Aggett's second goal of the game. Jarrett Elson and Jo Johannson received assists.

The Wildcats took a one goal lead into the third period on a marker from Jamie Allen. Jarrett Elson and Colin Broek were credited with assists.

In the third period, Trenton tied the game at 4-4.

Madoc regained its two goal lead with a power play goal from Jo Johannson and another goal from Pat Cassidy. Ron Hunt and Lee Reynolds received assists.

With less than two minutes left in the game Trenton pulled their goalie for the extra attacker. Madoc coach Kerry Lucas called a time out to try and calm his troops, but to no avail, as the Golden Hawks scored twice to earn the tie.

The Wildcats played host to Picton, Sunday, but results were not available at press time.

Madoc's next game will be at

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## Resident upset with village over water service hook-up

by Jeff Wilson

An irate Madoc Village resident told council he should not have to pay to hook-up to an upgraded water line.

During a regular council meeting last Tuesday, Michael O'Shea told village council he felt they were responsible for the hook-up costs and not himself.

Reeve Tom Deline disagreed and said under the village's services bylaw the municipality must only provide water line service to the property line. He added that the property owner is responsible for the costs to place a lateral from the home to the property line.

O'Shea was sent two letters informing him that the water line he is presently hooked up to was deteriorating and he would have to hook up to a new line that runs up Livingston Street.

In a discussion with council, O'Shea said since the village is upgrading the line they should pay the cost to hook up from his home to the main on the street.

"As a homeowner if I decide to make renovations I wouldn't expect council to foot the bill for these upgrades," O'Shea said.

Village council originally sent letters to the three homeowners hooked up to the old water line that runs behind to the homes on Champlain Street in 1987 which stated that the line was deteriorating and they should hook up to the new line that was installed on Livingston Street.

Two of the three homeowners chose to pay to hook up to the new line, while the previous owner of O'Shea's home chose not to.

O'Shea requested to see the letter sent to the previous homeowner and wanted to know the names of the other two homeowners who paid to

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## HOLIDAY HOURS

Due to Christmas and New Year Holidays, the office of this newspaper will be CLOSED from Monday, December 20th to Wednesday, December 29th. The Marmora Head Office, however, will only be closed on Monday, December 27th.

## NOTICE

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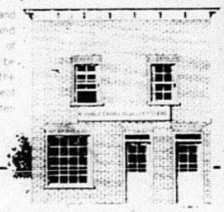

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## Turkey Bingo

*The Madoc Township Recreation Committee held its Turkey Bingo last Thursday. The committee handed out 10 turkeys averaging about 22 lbs., as well as an additional $10. The turkeys were purchased at Madoc IGA. Committee member Ron Snyder (left) presented Jace Donaldson (right) of Deloro with her turkey and $10.*

# OBITUARY

**Harold Burnside**

Harold Davis Burnside of Toronto formerly of Madoc passed away in Sunny Brook Hospital on Dec. 9, 1993. He was 68.

Harold was born in Madoc Township, son of the late John Burnside and the late Sadie Davis.

Left to mourn his passing is one brother Donald Frederick of Toronto.

## Hospice appreciative of contata support

There is no greater gift than music and no greater talent than being able to make music.

Sunday Dec. 5 Trinty United Church was filled to capacity with folks wanting to hear the carols of Christmas.

The voices of the Madoc Community choir under the direction of Cathy Clemens and led in piano and organ by Jan Manning and Ron Moffat presented just a beautiful contata of the songs of Christmas.

This evening was a real picture of our small communities working together to provide something for everyone's benefit and an expression of good will.

The Heart of Hastings Hospice wish to extend our most sincere thanks to all who participated in the contata and to all of those who attended. The hospice gratefully accepts the monetary gift made to our organization. Hospice will use the gift to care for people in our communities who are living at home in the terminal stage of cancer. Thank you to all and Merry Christmas on behalf of hospice volunteers and hospice board.

## Resident upset with village over water service hook-up

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hook up to the new line.

Deline told O'Shea his alternative would be to remain on the old line until it breaks down at which point he would have pay to have it repaired himself.

O'Shea told council they had no right to take away "a necessity of life" from his family. As he left the council chambers he informed council members they had not heard the last of him.

## Madoc CWL gather for annual Christmas feast

On Monday evening, Dec. 6, the ladies of Sacred Heart of Mary, Madoc CWL gathered for their annual Christmas supper. The evening was opened with the celebration of Holy Mass at 6:15 p.m. Immediately following, a delicious pot luck supper was served.

Our special guests this year were the drama students from Madoc Township Public School and their principal Art Gough.

After enjoying supper and conversation with the ladies, the students then proceeded to entertain us with their talents. A delightful skit was enjoyed about a playful, yet helpful Australian dragon.

After a rousing applause for these young performers, Mr. Gough accepted a small token of our appreciation on behalf of the school. Each student was given a stocking from Santa as our thanks.

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## Wildcats earn tie against Trenton

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home on Sunday, Jan. 2 against Campbellford, start time 3:30 p.m.

The Wildcats and Madoc Minor Hockey Association draw for the pick-up truck was recently kicked off after the licence was finally obtained. Tickets, which go for $20 apiece, can be obtained from many local merchants, as well as executive members of the Jr. C team and minor hockey. The ticket entitles the holder to admission to a dance to be held at the arena on June 11, 1994. The draw will be made at that time.

## House fire causes extensive damage

The home of a local artist received extensive damage after a fire broke out last Tuesday night.

According to Madoc Township Fire Chief Grant Ketcheson the damage could have been much worse in the residence at 117 Dingman St. if not for the assistance from the Village Fire department.

The township and village fire departments have an arrangement whereby which ever department receives a fire call responds and then the department in whose territory the fire is actually arrives as soon as possible.

Pat Eplett-Hubbard who owns the old style, storey and a half brick house arrived home shortly after 8 p.m. and discovered the fire and immediately called the fire department without entering.

The fire started near a wood stove in a one-floor back part of the house and was contained there, Ketcheson said.

Firefighters were able to save the women's pet dog which was inside at the time, reviving it with a shot of oxygen, Ketcheson said.

Damage was estimated at about $15,000 to $20,000.

# O.P.P. REPORT

On Nov. 20, Highway 62 near Old Hastings Road, a home owner found some camping equipment on the highway.

The camping equipment found included, sleeping bag, rubber boots, gym bag containing miscellaneous camping equipment and a bag with miscellaneous camping clothes.

The camping equipment may have fallen out of a pick-up truck or a trailer.

If anyone can identify this property or has any information please contact the Madoc OPP. Investigating officer Const. Ploughman.

Madoc OPP have a 14-year-old youth in custody following an investigation into three incidents in the Village of Madoc.

On Dec. 6 a car as well as the Dollar Dase Store was broken into.

The total value of stolen property is estimated at $650.

The youth is scheduled for a bail hearing on Dec. 10 in Belleville.

# Dates to Remember

**Dec. 23** - Candlelight Service at Hazzards Corners Church, 7:30 p.m.

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# Elzevir and Grimsthorpe Townships

The regular meeting of Council was held on Nov. 15 with all members present, excluding Councillor Alphe Godin. Reeve Jack Robinson opened the meeting at 7 p.m.

It was moved by Stephens and seconded by Brough that the minutes of Nov. 1 be approved as read and circulated.

Mr. Paul McIlroy, artist, attended to express an interest in donating his time to assist in the reprint of "Times To Remember in Elzevir Township", First Edition, 1984. Council has had difficulty in this area because the original plates of photos have gone astray, according to the original printer, Madoc Printing.

Many have been interested in purchasing a book but there are only a few copies left in the Township office.

Mr. McIlroy will attend next council meeting and a committee will be set up to relocate required photographs. Mr. McIlroy, being a historical drawing artist, would assist in sketching any photos that can not be located or are too faded to copy. He also donated pen and ink sketches to the Township office of St. Henry's Roman Catholic Church, Queensboro, Thompson's Homestead, Queensboro, Moore's School S.S. No. 3, Queensboro and Actinolite United Church, which will be framed. Council thanked Mr. McIlroy for his time and interest in the Township.

It was moved by Brough and seconded by Cooper that Council endorse the resolution of the Township of Onondaga and that a letter of support be sent to MP Larry McCormick and MPP Elmer Buchanan, whereas the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Onondaga recognizes the right of all Canadians to purchase and own land; and whereas, the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Onondaga has, for many years, attempted to co-operate and work harmoniously with our neighbors of the Six Nations Indian Reserve No. 40; and whereas while the right to purchase and own land is recognized, the Corporation of the Township of Onondaga does not acknowledge the right to purchase land outside a reservation for the purpose of pursuing its addition to an Indian Reservation, thus removing it from assessment and eroding the tax base of the municipality; and whereas the continued purchase and additional of non-native lands to Indian Reservations will result in the destruction of many municipalities across Canada and throughout this Province. Now therefore be it resolved; that if the purchase of land by natives is allowed for the purpose of addition to an Indian Reservation, the municipality be compensated by the Federal Government for loss of taxation and the continued provision of services; and that the federal government be petitioned to defer decisions regarding native land claims and additions of non-native lands to reservations until such time as the policies of the federal government relating to these issues are reviewed, and the concerns of all Canadians are addressed; and that this resolution be circulated to MP Larry McCormick and MPP Elmer Buchanan.

Correspondence received - North Hastings Community Futures Program - seminar Oct. 23; Addiction Research Foundation - re: seminar of LCBO rules; Ministry of Natural Resources; Township of Onondaga; Municipality of Neebing; Bell Canada Gross Receipts, deferred; County of Hastings, tax sale properties.

It was moved by Stephens and seconded by Cooper that correspondence be received and filed.

Under New Business, the following items were discussed: ROMA Conference Feb. 5 - 9/94, no councillors were interested in attending.

It was moved by Cooper and seconded by Stephens that Council approve Section 42, Municipal Act, reduction to taxes for Roll Number 123200001515 4 for RP 294.

The minutes from the Moira River Conservation Authority meeting Oct. 14 were received and filed with no business pertaining to Elzevir Township. Councillor Stephens submitted the Draft Fill, Construction and Alteration to Waterways Regulation, dated Nov./93.

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*CHSS News*

# Curtain comes down on first semester

**by Krista Reid and Anita Ramski**

The first semester is drawing to a close. The staff and students of CHSS started their holidays on Dec. 17. They will return on Jan. 3.

During this time the students were able to get rejuvenated before the start of exams beginning Jan. 20.

All students with college applications are reminded to return them to the guidance office by Feb. 1. The applications will be mailed on March 1 to the College Application Centre so that they will all be considered on an equal basis. Applications received after that date will be considered on a first come first serve basis.

Elementary school presentations are still continuing for Grade 8 students coming to CHSS next September.

The Christmas auction was last Wednesday, Dec. 15 with some wonderful prizes in the accompanying raffle, including an autographed Doug Gilmour jersey.

The Giant Candy Cane Hunt was solved by Allan Firth last Thursday. Well done!

Other activities were the Teacher Wrap and homeroom decorating. All activities were fun and showed tremendous school spirit - but then again, CHIC activities always do!

The CHSS Christmas Sharing Box project was a wonderful success as always, with a great deal of non-perishable foods contributed by both students and teachers. Food will be distributed by the Salvation Army.

Well, it seems the holidays are finally here!

# Tudor & Cashel Townships

## Council minutes

Tudor and Cashel Townships Council held its regular meeting on Dec. 7.

All members were present and all motions were carried.

It was moved by Wanda Donaldson and seconded by Stead Covert to adopt the minutes of the previous meeting as circulated.

It was moved by Stead Covert and seconded by Glenn Cooney to receive the correspondence arrising from the previous minutes.

It was moved by Stead Covert and seconded by Wanda Donaldson to appoint Wanda Donaldson as the Tudor and Cashel Recreation Committee representative from Council and the following persons as Committee members; Glenn Cooney, Joe Van Beers, Maralyn Steele, Bruce Poulain, Donna Peters and Margaret Davidson.

It was moved by Wanda Donaldson and seconded by Glenn Cooney to approve vouchers 11 for payment of roads and general office expenditures.

It was moved by Stead Covert and seconded by Glenn Cooney to pay the December accounts on the signature of the Reeve.

It was moved by Stead Covert and seconded by Wanda Donaldson that Council send a letter of objection to the Bill 7 assessing Garbage Disposal Sites for business tax levy. The letter is to go to the Hon. Bob Rae and copied to the Hon. Elmer Buchanan and the County of Hastings.

It was moved by Wanda Donaldson and seconded by Stead Covert to adjourn to meet on Jan. 6, 1994.


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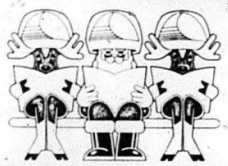

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# KIDS AT CHRISTMAS

**What Christmas Means To Me**

To me, Christmas means family, friends and relatives. it's time to share with the people you love and care about. Celebrate, for it is Jesus' birthday.

I always enjoy decorating my tree and setting up my stocking by the wood stove on Christmas Eve. When I climb into bed, it's hard for me to sleep with all the thoughts of Christmas Day.

Many families like to go visiting on Christmas day and open their gifts with pleasure and eat fine meals with their friends and family, while other families like to stay at home and open presents and have a good time by themselves.

Some people though, don't know what the Christmas spirit is. They think it's for getting presents and for just being selfish, but you should share and be thankful for what you have. Think of the other people you know and like, have a happy time with them and have a very Merry Christmas.

**Jonathan Miller**
**Grade 4**
**Madoc Public School**

**What Christmas Means To Me**

Christmas is my favorite season, not because I get presents from relatives and Santa, but because I read the Bible and hear stories that make me feel warm and happy.

I also like putting up Christmas trees and decorating them. We always have a nice candle light dinner and a good bedtime story. i feel like giving and receiving, but the best part is dreaming of Christmas.

**Earl Vierich**
**Grade 4**
**Madoc Public School**

**Christmas At My House**

Our family gets together. We have dinner and a great dessert, on the day before Christmas Day.

We get up early on Christmas because of my brother. He has to open up his presents.

We thank each other, and then we go back to bed and sleep.

Then we get up, clean up the mess and have breakfast. My brother and I play with our things we got and the rest of the day is normal.

**Nikki Bushey**
**Grade 4**
**Madoc Public School**

**What Christmas Means To Me**

Christmas is a time to be giving and receiving presents. Christmas is a time to visit your family. Christmas is a time for a big turkey dinner. Christmas is a time for happiness. Christmas is a time to love your family. Christmas is a time to remember Jesus and God. Christmas is a time to be happy. I love Christmas. It's the best time of the year. Christmas is a time to get the Christmas tree and have fun.

Michelle Moore
Grade 4
Madoc Public School

**What Christmas Means To Me**

Christmas is when Jesus was born.

One day Mary and Joseph had to go to Bethlehem to pay their taxes.

When they got there, there was no room so the inn keeper let them in the stable.

Jesus was born that night. An angel told some sheperds about Jesus' birth.

A big star showed three wisemen to the stable.

That's what Christmas means to me!

Kristen McConnell
Grade 4
Madoc Public School

**What Christmas Means To Me**

Christmas is a happy time - a time for giving not receiving. Every Christmas my family wakes up fairly early, eager to pen presents. We get ready to go to my grandparents about 6 a.m. I get even more presents from them. More presents than my family because I'm the youngest. Even though I enjoy it, it's not right to be greedy on such a special day. That's about all we do on Christmas except for the big turkey dinner we have. I really enjoy that a lot.

**Darren Best**
**Grade 4**
**Madoc Public School**

**Christmas Bear**

I am red and purple and orange and blue said the Christmas bear. Look at me. I have snow on me. I have Santa Claus clothes on me. I live in the North Pole.

**Darby Smith**
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# KIDS AT CHRISTMAS

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**Jayna Dosaj**
**Grade 6,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Christmas**
Christmas
Family, Jesus
Dinner, holidays, snow
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**Katherine Cole**
**Grade 6,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Christmas**
There are twenty two days until Christmas. We are going to my Grandma's and Grandpa's a few days before Christmas. On Christmas eve my uncle and aunt are coming to eat dinner and open presents. On Christmas we go to my other grandmas for dinner and to open presents.

**Robin Braden,**
**Grade 2,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Dear Santa,**
All I want for Christmas is a chain and a walkie talkie. I'll leave you cookies and milk. I would like my stocking filled with candies.

**Your friend,**
**Jeff Preston,**
**Grade 2,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Christmas**
At Christmas my family all comes to my house. In Mexico they get presents on January 6th. They celebrate Christmas for nine days. One Christmas I stayed at my aunt Sheila's with my nana when I was four I think. Last year we had breakfast at my aunt Ilene's. My mom doesn't mind the presents that much. I like Christmas.

**Esther Dillabough,**
**Grade 2,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Christmas**
At Christmas you give presents to people. Santa comes to your house. Santa brings toys to good children. He does not go to children that are bad. Moms put presents under our tree too.

**Melissa Almeida,**
**Grade 2,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Christmas**
At Christmas last year we went to my Grandma and Grandpa's house. Our aunts and uncles were there. My aunt and uncle brought my little cousin. Me and my sister were there too. My sister and I were colouring. Then we all had a piece of cake. After we ate our cake we opened our presents. I got a Barbie set. My sister got a big blanket.

**Sarah Armstrong,**
**Grade 2,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**White Christmas**
On Christmas Day it wasn't snowing. A little girl was sad because she had a G.T. snowracer to ride on. She asked her friends to come over to play but they said no. They wanted it to snow.
The next day it was her birthday. She had a cake. She wanted it to snow, so she wished it to snow and it did. She was still sad because the snow was red and cars were crashing. The end.

**Daric Robert Cook,**
**Grade 2,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Christmas**
Christmas is a time to love. At Christmas I like to put up the tree. My brother likes to put the lights up on the tree. My dad likes to go shopping. I go to my new house for Christmas. I stay all Christmas at my new house.

**Dwayne Davidson,**
**Grade 2,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Christmas Eve**
One morning I woke up and I thought it was Christmas morning. I ran out into the livingroom. But all I saw was a tree and no presents. Mom, dad and Joe came out. Mom said, "Did you see any presents?" I said, "No." Joe asked, "Mom, when is Christmas?" Mom said, "Tomorrow." That whole day all I thought about was Santa. Then we went to bed and Santa came. In the morning I woke up and came out and then I saw a lot of presents. I ran and woke mom, dad and Joe and we opened all of the presents. I hope I never get the wrong day again.

**John Cook,**
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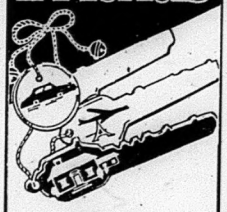
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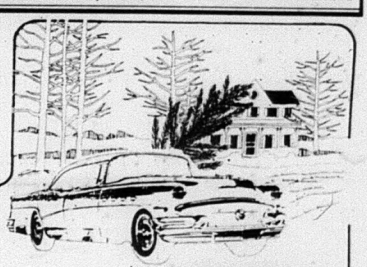
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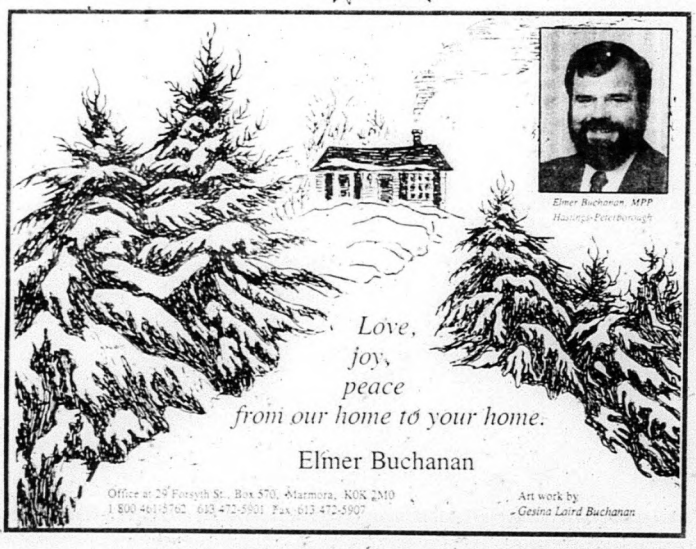




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# Kids At Christmas

## Christmas through the eyes of Grade 1, 2 & 3 students

Grade One and Two students from Earl Prentice Public school submitted the following Christmas stories.

**Once upon a time...**
**by Ryan Nugent**

Once a upon a time Santa was going out for Christmas. But Rudolph didn't hae any batteries for his nose. Santa didn't have any money and neither did Mrs. Claus. So they had to open a bank account. Now they had money and they could buy batteries.

**Rudolph**
**by Meghan Hogg**

Once upon a time there was a jolly old man named Santa Claus. He lived in North Pole. But he wasnt just a normal person. He delivered presents to the little children.

It was Christmas Eve, but one of the reindeer was sick. His name was Danser and he was the lead reindeer. So Santa Claus went for a ride in his sleigh to think things over.

While he was thinking he saw a red light shining in the mist. So he flew down to see what it was. He saw another reindeer. He asked if he could be the lead reindeer.

It was Rudolph and he said yes. So they lived happily every after.

**Frosty the Snowman and the kids**
**by Natasha Pownder**

Once upon a time there were some kids and one snowy day the kids made a snowman. Then they found a hat. But they didn't know that it was a magic hat.

Then he came to life and they put a scarf on him and they played with him all winter long. But Spring came and he started to melt. So they took the train to the North Pole so Frosty wouldn't melf. So next winter they could play with him.

**One night**
**by Shane Empey**

One night all Santa's reindeer ran away except Rudolph. Rudolph said, "There has to be more reindeer to pull sleigh. I can't pull it myself."

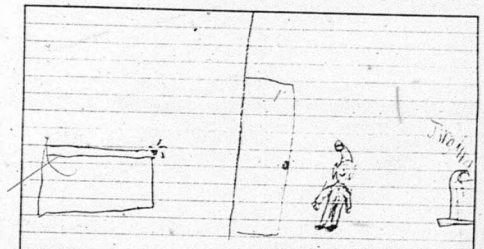
Rudolph looked for the reindeer but he couldn't find them. He looked some more and found them in a toy box. Santa was happy and they went off for Christmas.

Santa went to my house and I left him some cookies and milk and he went off for Christmas and everybody was glad. Everybody brought gifts for everybody.

**Christmas is Jesus' Birthday**
**by Tessa Wood**

Long, long ago in a town called Bethlehem, Jesus was born in a stable. His mother was Mary. His fahter was Joseph. Angels were singing in the sky. Shepherds were in fields and a very bright star was in the sky.

An Angel came to a group of Shepherds. The Angel said, "A new King is born. Follow the star." So the Shepherds went to the stable and they saw Baby Jesus.



**Rudolph**
**by Rebecca Taylor**

Once upon a time there was a reindeer and his name was Rudolph. It was two more days until Christmas Eve and then it was Christmas Eve. Rudolphed was embarrassed abuot his nose. He hid in a box.

It was dark in the box and then he heard jingaling, jingaling noise outside. Then he felt sad about not being in the pack and he decided he would go.

He ran outside and he was just in time. He shone his nose on Santa's back. Santa saw Rudolph. He said "Here you are Rudolph, we were looking for you."

"Thank you. I love you Santa," said Rudolph.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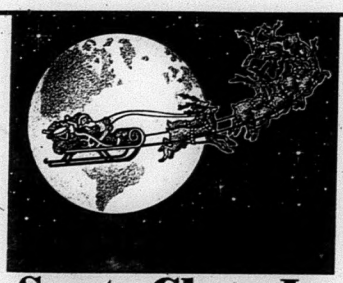

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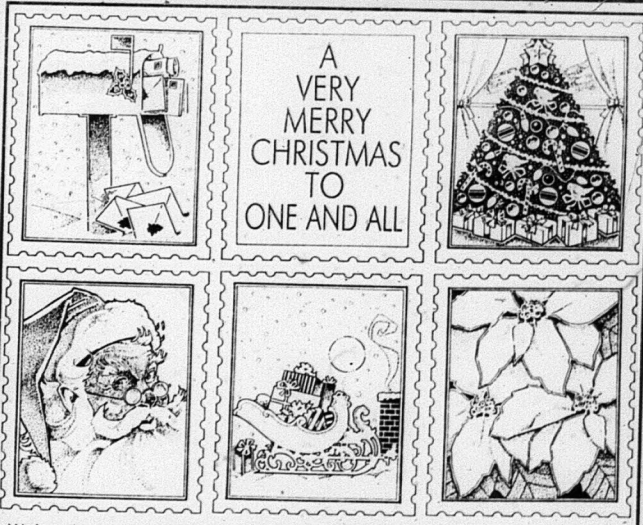


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# Kids At Christmas

**The Year Santa Got Sick**

On Christmas night Santa had pneumonia. All the children were going to bed and waiting for Santa to come. Santa was so up set that he started to cry because he was ready to go in his big red sled but he didn't feel well. I wish I did not have pneumonia. Mrs. Claus came to give Santa some Doctor Crenns medicine. Mrs. Claus wished that Santa did not have pneumonia. Santa coughed and wiped his nose. That night when Santa and Mrs. Claus went to bed, Santa put his red suit on instead of his pyjamas. As soon as Mrs. Claus got to sleep, Santa went to the barn to get the reindeer. He put Rudolph at the back instead of the front. That night the sled would not move. Santa was very worried because the children would not get any presents. Santa tried and tried but the sled wouldn't move, so he went back to bed. In the morning all the children went to their Christmas tree but there were no presents. All the children cried. Everyone was sad including Santa Claus.

**Michelle Moorcroft,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**The Year The Toys Were Stolen**

I like to go to Toys R Us around Christmas to show my mom and dad what I would like from them for Christmas. But last week when I was getting the mail, I noticed that there were burglars on the front page of the newspaper. There was also a sign of Toys R Us. So I quickly ran to the house, took off my coat and sat down at the table. I started to read the paper. It just so happened that Toys R Us had been robbed. I was so upset, no more going to Toys R Us. But mom and dad still bought me gifts. I kept wondering what they got me until Christmas day. I woke up and ran out to the livingroom. I opened mom's and dad's gifts, then I opened Santa's. I loved all my gifts I got for Christmas.

That Monday I got the mail and found out that the police caught the burglars and Toys R Us was opening up again. Was I glad because next year I'd be able to pick out my own things again.

**Shannon Rollins,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**The Year The Toys Were Stolen**

Last year the toys were stolen. It was a disaster. Everyone was crying. Everyone thought they were going to get three or four gifts but they did not get anything for Christmas. They did not know what happened. They thought that Santa Claus was sick. We all hope that the robber who stole the toys does not come back next Christmas.

**Michael Johnston,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**When Santa Got Sick**

When Santa got sick he started to cry. Santa was worried that nobody was going to get their presents. The elves felt sorry for Santa and they offered to deliver the giftd. I sure hope that Santa is feeling better next year so he will deliver the presents.

**Amy Pigden,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Last Year's Presents**

Last year we had a great Christmas. I got lots of presents. I got the game of Guess Who, the Barbie that has hair down to her toes, and I forget what else I got. We got lots of things in our stockings. On that same day right before we went into the kitchen to see if Santa ate the milk and cookies and he did. I was really happy. That was the best Christmas ever.

**Kayla Foley,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**The Year The Toys Were Stolen**

One day the elves were making the toys and Santa was looking at his list while Mrs. Claus was making supper. After supper they went to bed. When they were asleep two bad guys broke in Santa's toy room and took the four bags of toys and buried them in the snow where Santa couldn't find them.

The next morning they woke up and had breakfast and then got busy at their work. They couldn't find the toys. That day it was Christmas eve. Santa was looking for the toys. Then he said they might be outside. He looked around and he found the four bags of toys buried in the snow. Santa said, "I guess I can deliver the toys now." Off he went in the sleigh and delivered the toys and everyone was happy.

**Jamie Donovan,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**The Day Santa Got Lost**

One day before Christmas Santa said, "I have to get ready for my big ride around the world. I am going to Canada, the USA and every other place. I should have a map but I can't find it. Maybe I should ask Mrs. Claus where my red and green white, silver and gold map with reindeer on it went." So he asked about the map. Mrs. Claus didn't know where it was. It was the eve of Christmas.

Santa got ready and he was off. He was gone for seven hours. How could he stand it? Then Mrs. Claus got worried. Where is he? He should have been here by now. So Mrs. Claus waited for a long time. In the meantime Santa was lost. He was lost for five hours. At ten o'clock the next night Santa

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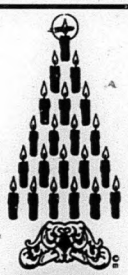

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# Kids At Christmas

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arrived home. He knocked on the door. Mrs. Claus answered the door. "Oh you're home dear! Oh I love you! Santa said, "I love you too honey." They all lived happily ever after and Santa found his map for the next year.

**Lacey Foster,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**When Santa Did Not Come**

It all started when everybody came. Well I had a funny feeling. I went into the kitchen and I told my mom and she said that I was nervous but I knew I was not nervous. Something was wrong. I thought about Santa. Then everybody left and we cleaned up and went to bed. I stayed awake for about an hour but when I woke up I went downstairs but there were no presents. My stocking was not full. Then my brother came down and he came into the living room. "Where are my presents and why is my stocking empty?" My brother started crying. I thought to myself, I hope he stops and I hope this never happens again.

**Stacey Preston,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**The Christmas Horse**

Santa is not very happy. He has nothing to pull his sleigh because his reindeer refused to help. But one day he was thinking. He decided that he could find a Christmas horse. "But where am I going to find one?" he said. "How am I going to catch one?" he said. "I know," said Santa "The forest." So he went in the forest and sure enough he came out with a beautiful black Christmas horse. Now he has a Christmas horse to pull his sleigh. I hope I see the Christmas horse when Santa comes to my house.

**Charlotte Hughes,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**When Santa Went On Strike**

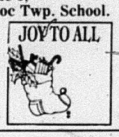
One Christmas night when the elves were getting the toys ready to deliver, Santa said he was going for a walk. Suddenly he began to get bored. He always works. So he decided to stop working. His elves said, "We need your help or there will be no Christmas! Well, there will be no Christmas!" Santa said, "What no Christmas! I'm sorry but all I do is work!" We have worked too you know. But, do you fly over the whole world in one year? Well no, but we make toys all year. One elf said let's switch jobs this year. So Santa made some toys and the elves delivered them.

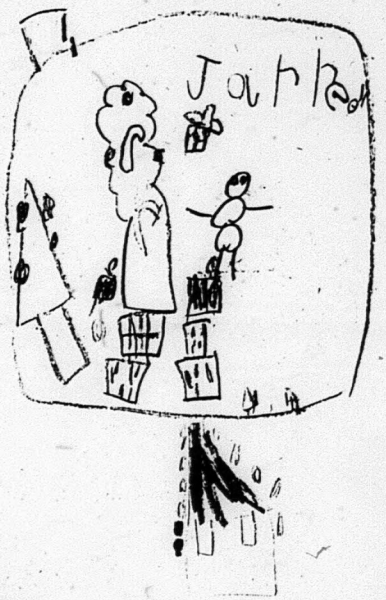
**Justin Rogers,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**The Year Santa Was Kidnapped!**

One year on Christmas Eve I could not sleep. I was so excited! So I decided to go and see if Santa had come yet. He had not come yet. I was worried that Santa was not coming. Oh no, he might be kidnapped! I ran to my room and woke up my sister. "Andrea! Andrea!" I said, "Santa has not come yet!" I think he is kidnapped. Suddenly I woke up and realized that it was all a dream.

**Kristi Murphy,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**



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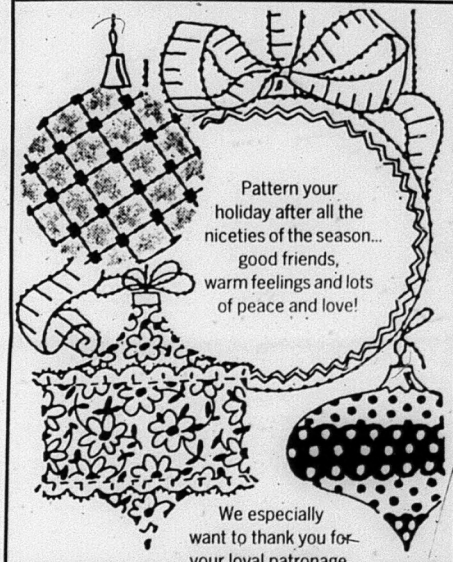

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# Kids At Christmas

**Christmas**

I woke up mom and dad and then went to the Christmas tree and saw what Saint Nicholas got me. Mom and dad let me and my brother open up the rest of our presents that were under the tree. When my relatives came I opened up those presents and got exactly what I wanted but I saved some for next year. I had a huge feast and it was a great Christmas.

**Jessica Chapman,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Dear Santa,**

I hope you give me what I want. I have sent my list. I want everything I sent for for Christmas. But I know the real meaning of Christmas.

**Your friend,**
**Andrew Dibben,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Dear Santa Claus,**

This year I've been pretty good so I think I deserve something. I would like the twin dolls that cry when they're apart. That is all I want to ask you for because you have other boys and girls that would like stuff from you. I will leave you a treat on the kitchen table and a couple of carrots for the reindeer. Also thanks for last year's presents. I enjoyed them.

**Your friend,**
**Shannon Rollins,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Dear Santa,**

I would like some toys for Christmas, Santa. I would like a remote control truck and I would like a toy gun. I would like a remote control race track. Most of all I would like a radio. I was not bad or not good.

**Your friend,**
**John Cook,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I would please like for Christmas a Baby Giggles'n Go and a Super Nintendo with games please. I also have been good. I'm going to leave cookies and milk. I loved the stuff you gave me last y-ear. How are your reindeer? I hope they're good. How is Mrs. Claus? I bet she cooks alot. The elves probably are tired from making all those toys. I also would like Dream phone and little Mrs. Candy Strip and Sally Secrets. We are going to my cousins for a big feast on Christmas day. I hope you are going to be dressed warm.

**Your friend,**
**Mandi McBeath**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I will leave you cookies and milk and sugar. Will you please give me good presents and joy? I will play a Christmas song. I have been a good boy for my piano teacher. I hope you have fun handing out presents.

**Your friend,**
**Joshua Leaver,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**What Christmas Means To Me**

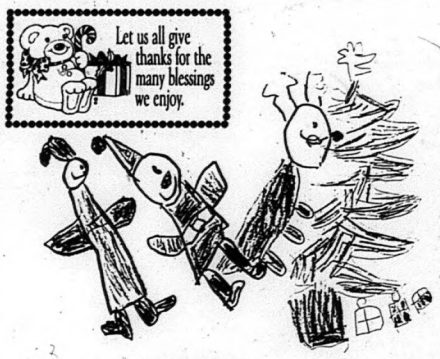
Christmas means a lot to me because kids have lots of fun. They build snowmen and forts. They have fun opening their presents. They go out to suppers. They have fun going to places. And the family had a happy time.

**Dustin Lemmon,**
**Grade 4,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Christmas**

Christmas is to care about others. My favourite is when I decorate by myself. I don't but my mom helps me to put up the decorations up. I really really like Christmas.

**Jamie McKelvey,**
**Grade 4,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

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# Kids At Christmas

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Christmas is a time to be with your family, relatives and friends.

**Cheri Pilliny and Jody Albert**
**Grade 8**
**Madoc Public School**

**Christmas**

I like Christmas.
I like the Christmas tree.
I have fun.
I have decorations.
I love Christmas because Jesus was born.
Everybody is happy.

**Jonathan McConnell**
**Grade 1**
**Madoc Public School**

**Santa Claus**

I am Santa Claus
I am fat.
Mrs. Claus makes me pies.
I have reindeer.
I go Ho Ho Ho Ho.
I live in the North Pole.
I love boys and girls.

**Ann-Marie Thrasher**
**Grade 1**
**Madoc Public School**

**Snow**

I am white, said the snow. I can freeze you. I can melt a spring. Look at me. There is snow in the North Pole.

**Cameron Todd**
**Grade 1**
**Madoc Public School**

**Christmas**

What does Christmas mean to me?

Does it mean: Peace and love all around and joy twinkling from within making this place so beautiful for one and all?

What does Christmas mean to me?

Does it mean: a time to give and share for peace to be there for us and with us for all of us to hear?

No Christmas means: to be at home, to be with the family, to share, to care, and maybe give a little here and there.

**Jody Albert**
**Grade 7**
**Madoc Public School**

**Jingle Bells**

Jingle bells, jingle bells, Santa Claus is coming to town and children are making snowmen.

The people are cold and soon it will be Christmas.

The children will be happy and the children are helping to put up the Christmas tree.

**Krystie Shattraw**
**Grade 2**
**Madoc Public School**

**Santa Claus**

Sometimes I wake up in the middle of the night to see Santa Claus. I am too early or too late. I give hime eight carrots for the reindeer and I give him cookies and milk. He like them.

I get tons of presents from Santa, I think.

The End

**Joe Hopkins**
**Grade 2**
**Madoc Public School**

**Santa Claus Is Coming To Town**

This is Santa Claus talking to you - be kind and be good too. I am watching you all night and all day. Good or bad I know when you are sleeping and I know when you are not sleeping.

I say Ho Ho Ho Ho Ho Ho Ho. I give kids presents.

**Crystal Whiteman**
**Grade 2**
**Madoc Public School**

**Christmas Time**

A time for joy,
A time for laughter.
Family gather around the Christmas tree to have a Christmas party and to sing Christmas carols.

**Tiffany Ramsay**
**Grade 2**
**Madoc Public School**

**Christmas Bells**

Christmas bells ringing,
Christmas bells jingling,
Tonight is Christmas night.
I wonder what Santa is going to bring me. Maybe a special present that I've been dreaming of. I wonder what Santa put in my stocking, maybe some chocolates.

**Sarah Thompson**
**Grade 2**
**Madoc Public School**

**Jingle Bells**

Jingle bell, jingle bell, jingle bell rock. Santa Claus is coming to town. He'll see you when you are walking, he'll see you when you are sleeping at all times.
The end.

**Sarah Casselman**
**Grade 2**
**Madoc Public School**


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# Kids At Christmas

**Haunted Christmas**

It was Christmas Eve. My family had just finished putting all of the presents under the Christmas tree, and we were all in ur pyjamas ready to go to bed. My twin sister and I went to our room.

My sister climbed up on the top bunk and I stayed on the bottom bunk bed. We got all snuggled up in ur beds, and fell asleep.

Next day, I woke up at 8:30 a.m. Nobody else was up, so I went over to the Christmas tree and was so surprised! The Christmas presents were gone! I quickly woke up my sister, mom and dad and told them what had happened and they got up as soon as they could.

We all separated and started looking everywhere, up and down. There were only two more places to look, the attic and the cellar. "Well who wants to go down the cellar?" dad asked. My sister said, "Not me, there are spiders down there." "No thanks," I said in a shaky voice. Mom said that she would go down and look. Dad said, "I guess I will go up into the attic and look around."

Mom came back up and said "No luck...but I found $1."

Dad went and opened up the door to the attic. A whole pile of presents piled out on top of him. We all got our presents with our names on them.

My twin sister had got up in the middle of the night, put the presents up in the attic, and never said anything. We forgave her because, after all, it was Christmas!

**LeeAnn Crawford**
**Grade 6**
**Madoc Public School**

**Kids At Christmas**

Kids at Christmas, kids at Christmas. They scream, they yell, they cheer. But they're always happy. The could rip presents open all year!

When Santa Claus comes to town, Whomp! There he is, Whomp! There he is.

Here comes Rudolph with his nose so bright.

Wish he'd be my pet tonight.

**Mike A. Empey**
**Grade 6**
**Madoc Public School**

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I would like a movie of Tom and Jerry, Baby Giggles'n Go, and the game of Don't Wake Daddy. How is your family? Are they feeling all right? We might leave out milk and cookies for you. I like Donner, Blitzen, and Rudolph. Why does Rudolph have a red nose? How is Mrs. Claus? Is she feeling all right? Are your elves working hard? What are your elves making for Christmas?

**Your friend,**
**Kayla Foley,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School.**

**Dear Santa Claus,**

I would like work shop tools. I know I have not been very good lately but I have learned my lesson now. I will leave you sugar for your reindeer. I am happy for what I got last year.

**Love,**
**Adam Alexander,**
**Grade 3,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**The Best Christmas Ever**

What Christmas means to me is joy. I like it when other people are happy too. Sometimes my relatives come for Christmas. My mom makes a big dinner for everybody. I like to try to guess what our gifts are. By bedtime I can't get to sleep. The next morning I got out of bed. I opened my gifts and thanked my family. And it was the best Christmas ever.

**Katie Ridpath,**
Grade 3C,
Madoc Twp. School

**Christmas**

I like to have fun on Christmas. We go for a walk every year. I like to make snow angels. We feed the animals with scraps of our food. And we always have Christmas at night. We can make a ginger bread man. And cookies. I like to have Christmas at night. I like it alot.

**Jodi Brinks,**
Grade 4,
Madoc Twp. School

**Christmas**

Christmas is coming, the geese are getting fat.
Would you please put a penny in the old man's hat.
If you don't have a penny, a handkerchief will do.
If you don't have a handkerchief, God bless you.

**Kelly Parks,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Christmas**

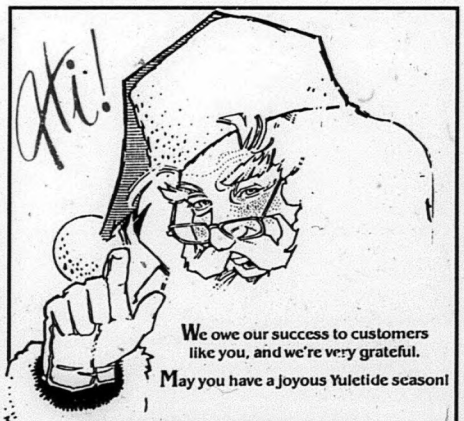
On Christmas me and my sister get up and sometimes my mom and dad are up. One Christmas my family woke up at the same time and they said we could open one present and we ended up opening them all.

**Stephanie Gumbley,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**What Christmas Means To Me**

Christmas means to me to give not to receive. Christmas means laughter and joy. And maybe a present or two.

**Rene Baker,**
**Grade 4,**
**Madoc Twp. School**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# Kids At Christmas

**Merry Christmas**

Mom and dad get gifts
Evening is exciting when
Santa comes
Reindeer pull Santa
Romping through the house
Yelling at the time

Christmas trees look nice
Happy every year
Ripping open presents
I love it very much
Singing lots of songs
Tinsel hanging from the
Christmas tree
Missing it would be sad
Asking for things
Some people don't like it.

**Brad Holden**
**Stirling Junior School**

**Stocking**

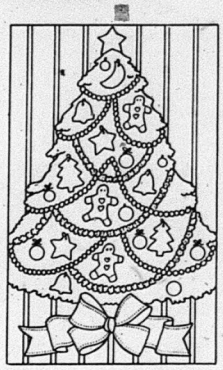
Sticking toys inside
Toys in stocking
Outside picture
Candy canes in stocking
Knitting stockings
Inside the stockings are toys
Nice and soft
Great toys inside.

**Donnie DiClemente**
**Stirling Junior School**

**Reindeer**

Reindeer fly through the air
All night they fly.
If they don't move there feet
that can't move
Now up, up and away.
Dancer and Vixon
Every reindeer can fly
Every reindeer has its own
name
Ruldolph the red nose
reindeer.

**Jeff Chambers**
**Stirling Junior School**



**Merry Christmas**

Many good tidings
Everyone gets together
Red Santa Claus
Rudolph the reindeer
Young and old

Christ was born
Hallelujah
Running in the snow
Inside its warm
Starts to snow
Taste some food
Mmm delicious
Awake on Christmas Eve
Some toys for good children.

**Jonathan Marriott**
**Stirling Junior School**

**Santa Claus**

Sneaking into houses
Always comes to everyone's
house
Nobody sees him
Taking presents house to house
Arriving at houses with a big
bag of presents
Comes with presents for girls
and boys
Lowering into chimneys
A fat jolly man
Using chimneys like doors
Sliding down chimneys.

**Michael Matthews**
**Stirling Junior School**

**Santa Claus**

Sliding down the chimneys
All the houses he has to go to.
Not one house to be missed.
Topping off each Christmas
tree.
Aching from falling in the fire.
Climbing up chimneys
Long ride each Christmas Eve.
After the flight drinking his
tea.
Under the tree putting
presents.
Slipping out before he's seen.

**Brian Keating**
**Stirling Junior School**

**Happy New Year**

Having a party on the night.
Applauses at 12:00.
People saying Happy New
Year.
Party ending early in the
morning.
Yelling, screaming, singing,
Happy New Year.

New Year's resolution to be
made.
Eating junk food.
Waiting till 12:00.

Yelling at that time.
Ending New Years at 12 a.m.
All the people counting down.
Ringing bells at 12.

**Jaclyn Brooks**
**Stirling Junior School**

**Stocking**

Storing little presents.
Toys are waiting for you.
O' so nice Christmas time.
Christmas is here.
Kicking your new soccer ball.
In the stocking there are
presents.
Getting out of bed early to see
what Santa put in your
stocking.

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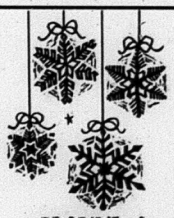
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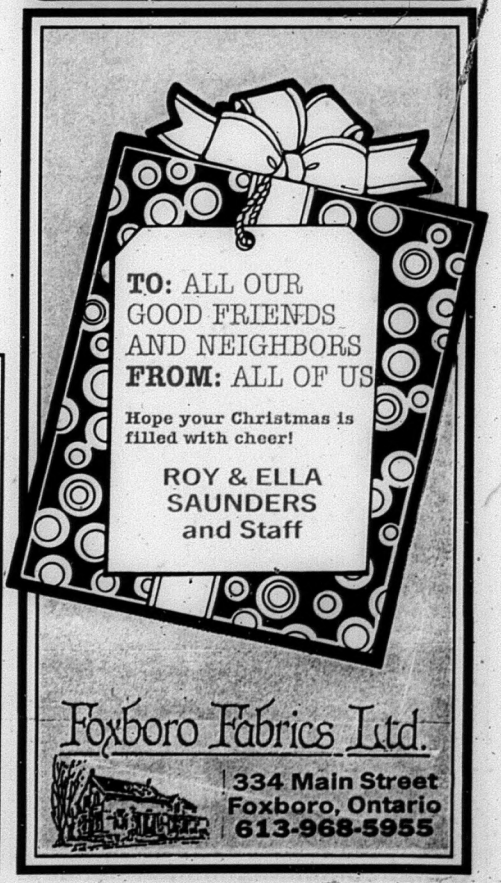
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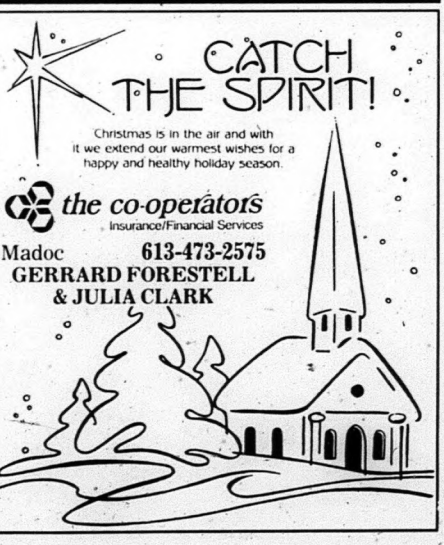

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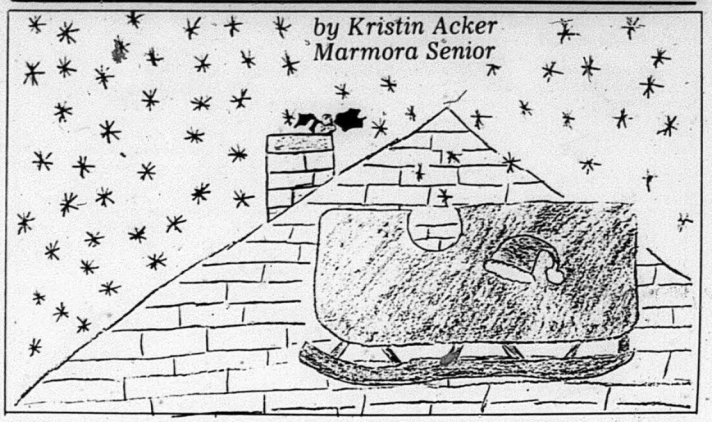


## The Christmas I met Santa Claus

**by Lucas Wood**
**Grade 4**
**Marmora Senior School**

On the night before Christmas we hung up our stockings and went to bed. All except me. I rigged up device on the chimney so that if someone came down it a string attached to my cat's tail would pull and the would meow and wake me up. Then I went to bed and waited.

Around midnight the cat meowed and I crept out of bed. Downstairs I heard a faint tap by the stockings. I edged toward the door and peeked around the corner. Then I saw him! It was Santa Claus!

I walked right out in the open and said, "Hi Santa." He turned around and said, "Ho, Ho, Ho. How did you know what time I came?"

"Well," I said, "I didn't but I'm glad to meet you." "Glad to meet you to," said Santa, adding, "but hadn't you better go to bed so you don't see what I'm giving you." "Okay," I said.

I was glad I had met Santa.

## Santa's worst Nightmare

**by Myleo Sills**
**Grade 7**
**Marmora Senior School**

One day two brothers were counting the days on their calendars. There were five days until Christmas! They had a nice Christmas tree and decorations all over the house.

Down at the North Pole, the elves were working to make presents for all the children. Santa was busy readng all the letters from the children. When the elves finished making the presents they had a big snowball fight.

The two brothers said, "Christmas is tomorrow." "Yes". One of the brothers said, "I hope I get a trampoline."

It was Christmas night. Santa Claus was ready to leave

when suddenly Rudolph tripped over a rock and broke his leg. Not only that, Santa was horrified when he went outside and saw his sled broken.

The elves said to Santa, "Start walking!" Santa Claus went to his closet and got out his super sled. He tied the sledto the reindeer and went to everybody's house.

When he got home from the big trip, he took off his suit and put his red and green boxer shorts on and went to bed.

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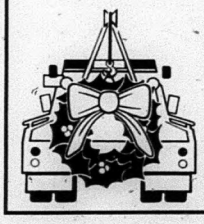

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# Kids At Christmas

## The Happy Christmas morning

by Rachel Coens
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There was once a story about Christmas Eve that happened long ago. It was about a little girl who had no Christmas tree and no money to buy one with.

The money that she did have had to be spent on her mother cause she was very ill. On Christmas Eve the little girl wished that her mother could get better and they could have a Christmas tree with presents.

After that the little girl went to bed. At midnight that evening, yes he did appear with his long white beard. He heard the girl's wishes and made them all come with a Christmas tree and presents too.

That next morning the little girl got up and saw her Christmas tree and all her feet would step on were presents from Santa Claus.

Her mother got out of bed and came into the room and of course she was not sick any more.

That morning was the best morning in the little girl's life and after that they lived happily ever after.

**Christmas**

by Miranda Carroll
Grade 6
Marmora Senior School

I can't wait until Christmas because I get lots of presents. The night before Christmas I get to open one present, that's all I get get until Christmas morning.

It's going to be fun on December 25. It's going to be fun on Christmas because I get lots of candy.

**Christmas**

by Kelly Butcher
Grade 4
Marmora Senior School

Christ was born
Hidden in a manger
Riding on a donkey
Inside a barn
Shepherds come and watch
Tiny and tender
Mary is happy
Angels float about
Sleeping in the manger

## Christmas is Cancelled

by April Maurer
Grade 4
Marmora Senior School

Back at the North Pole, Santa was getting ready for Christmas Eve. His toys were ready and the reindeer were hitched to the sleigh.

Everything was going just right until the evil buzzerd Garlin came to Santa and siad, "I will make a terrible storm so your reindeer can't fly, and Christmas will be cancelled. Ha, Ha, Ha, Ha." And with a flash of light he was gone.

Santa said to the poor little elves who worked so hard to make this the best Christmas, "What should I do?" The elves shrugged their shoulders. They had no idea what to do because this has never happened before. Santa sighed.

Then all of a sudden he had an idea. "I know Twinky can sneak through the hole in his horror house and mix his potions and it will stop the spell," said Santa.

So that night Twinky sneaked into the horror house and found the potions. He mixed then all up. It was almost dark so Twinky had to hurry.

All of a sudden he heard somebody. He told Santa, so Santa left and delivered his toys.

## Christmas cinquains from Marmora Senior School

The following Christmas cinquains were written by Grade 7 students at Marmora Senior School.

**Christmas**
Happy time
Giving, receiving, eating
Having wonderful time, gleeful
Family

**Reindeer**
Brown, red-nosed
Prancing, dancing merrily
Pulling Santa's sleigh
Fliers

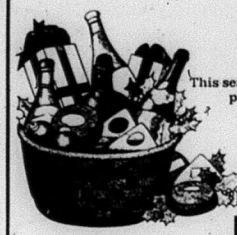
**Santa**
Fat, Jolly
Slides down chimney
Rides in a sleigh
St. Nick

**Turkey**
Big, fat
Yummy to eat
White meat, dark meat
Dinner

**Angels**
Heavenly beings
Flying over Bethlehem
Scaring the shepherds, lowly
Bright

**Angels**
Beautiful messengers
Flying beautifully, brightly
Shining, glowing, very brightly
Wings

**Nativity**
Hay, manger
Celebrating Jesus' Birth
Mary, Joseph, Shepherds, Kings
Stable

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# Kids At Christmas

**Christmas**

Christmas time is coming near.
It always comes this time of year!
Jesus was born that day
In a manger, in the hay.
So raise your arms and give a cheer,
'Cause Christmas time is coming near.

**Tammy Christiansen**
**Grade 6**
**Madoc Public School**

**When Jesus Was Born**

Jesus was born in a stable long ago in Bethlehem. His parents tried to find a nice warm place to stay. Everywhere was filled up. All except one caring man, who said "All I have is a stable with the animals."

"Thank you. You are very nice to me and my husband," said the lady. So that was where Jesus was born. There was a huge star up in the sky, and wise men cmae with gifts of gold. The other had a gift of muir. The last gift was a box of frankencense. Then after the wise men left, three shepherds came with gifts of lambs. When they left, the most important thing happened. The Angel came to see him, and Mary too. She said, "Your son Jesus, will be our saviour." Joseph was happy about that, too I guess.

**Jessica Yarrow**
**Grade 6**
**Madoc Public School**

**The Year There Was No Christmas**

One year, a long time ago there was no snow. Then one daysome kids thought that Santa wuld not come because there was no snow. Down at the North Pole Santa was having trouble keeping up with the orders. The kids just wanted more stuff than before. Now back in North America it was Christmas Eve and still there was no snow. Now the kids were even more depressed than before. They all went to bed sadder than every because there was no snow for Santa to land his sleigh on the roof tops. In the North Pole however, Santa had come down with a bad cold. He told Mrs. Claus there would be no Christmas because he was sick. Mrs. Claus said, "Now that's silly. There will still be a Christmas with Santa Claus." He said, "Who will take my place!" She said, "Why me". He was startled by the new, but said,"Hitch up the team boys and we'll be on our way." The next morning the kids were overjoyed to see their stockings full when there was no snow. And that's what happened.

**Paul Conroy**
**Grade 7**
**Madoc Public School**

**Merry Christmas**

"Wow, it's Christmas Eve," shouted Amanda.

"I can't wait til tomorrow." "I'm so tired," said Cara.

"I'm going to sleep," "Ya me too, then Christmas will be here quicker," said Yolanda.

Amanda said, "I'm not going to bed because when every goes to sleep, I'm going to unwrap all of my presents and see what they are and they wrap them all back up again."

"No," said Yolanda. "You are going to bed."

"Why though," said Amanda.

"Because you'll find out in the morning, anyway."

"Well, okay," said Amanda. They all went to bed.

The next morning they woke up and there were presents everywhere. The tree was loaded down. Yolanda, Amanda and Cara ran out to the Christmas tree. They all got everything they asked for. At 10:00 Linda and Mike woke up. They girls were very excited about what they had gotten for Christmas. They had a great Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**Wanda Whiteman**
**Grade 7**
**Madoc Public School**

**Is He Here?**

Soon he will be here
The kids full of cheer
For at Christmas time they will hear the chime of Santa and his deer.
The windows shaking and cracking.
The floors rumbling and tapping.
After a minute it's quiet.
There's no noise, no rumble, no riot.
For Santa's ridden away, but yet we hear him say.
Merry Christmas on this day!

**Lizzy Morley**
**Grade 7**
**Madoc Public School**

**The Eve of Christmas**

It t'was the eve of Christmas
And I saw a big star in the sky
Gee I wonder why
So I followed that star
And you know what I found
when I followed that star
I found Santa's sleigh
So I went on my way.

**Andrew Vallieres**
**Grade 7**
**Madoc Public School**

"I love Christmas," said the teddy bear. "Don't you?" "I love Christmas because I like toys," said the bear. I love to play with the toys.

**Chris Bingham**
**Grade 1**
**Madoc Public School**

**Mrs. Santa Claus**

I am Mrs. Santa Claus. My husband's name is Santa Claus. He gives presents to girls and boys. He has a sleigh and he has reindeer. He loves boys and girls.

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## Centre Hastings Adult Day School-II Draw

*The Centre Hastings Adult Day School-II held its draw for a side of beef last Friday at the school. On hand for the draw were, from left to right, Students Wayne McMenemy, John Bartlett and Donna Empey along with Hastings County Warden and Madoc Village Reeve Tom Deline, who drew the winning ticket. The winner was E. Scholtens of Marmora. The money raised from the draw will go to cover operational expenses for the school which has received cuts in their funding.*

## Stirling Women's Institute share buffet Christmas feast

The members of Stirling Women's Institute, their spouses and quilting friends had an opportunity to share a delicious Christmas buffet catered by Sylvia Edgar on Dec. 8.

Following the noon dinner, the ladies assembled for their meeting, with President Mae Clarke expressing a warm welcome and a Christmas greeting.

The business portion included the reading of communications and the receiving of donations for the A.C.W. Bakeless Bake Sale. Motions were made to cover gifts of money to Stirling Towers, Stirling Manor, Rick Harding and Operation Eyesight. Members decided to give financial support, as well as contributions of non-perishable food items to the Christmas Sharing programme. Norma Moran and Ruby Knight were authorized to purchase Christmas remembrances for the shut-ins.


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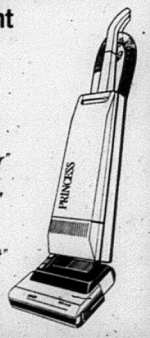




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# Centre Hastings Retraining Centre holds open house

by Jeff Wilson

The Centre Hastings Retraining Centre held an Open House last Wednesday in effort to bring more awareness to their facility.

Though the Centre has been opened for four years, there are a number of people in the community that didn't know the facility existed.

The Open House that was held between 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. drew a good sized crowd of curious visitors.

The building is located just off St. Lawrence Street West, across from the Co-op.

The facility houses wood work and furniture refinishing shop where the candy canes seen around the village are produced; a classroom area and kitchen.

The Centre Hastings Retraining Centre has a staff of eight who service 40 clients

The Centre offers a seniors and life skills program. The seniors program includes an activity program and active workshops. The life skills program offers academic programs, kitchen, as well as community awareness programs.

*The clients of the Centre Hastings Retraining Centre prepare the vegetables for their Christmas dinner. The Centre held an Open House last Wednesday morning and afternoon.*

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# Novice "A" Blues win two and lose one at home

by Jeff Wilson

The Stirling Novice "A" Blues picked up two wins and one defeat in three recent home games.

On Dec. 13, the Blues hosted Campbellford and defeated the Colts 4-1.

Stirling scored four answered goals to take a commanding lead and a late third period goal spoiled the shutout for goalie Joshua Campbell.

Stirling's Matt Simmons opened the scoring in the first period.

Neither team was able to score in the second period.

In the third period Scott Bolte scored an unassisted goal to make the score 2-0.

Mike Lessard increased the Blues lead to 3-0. Mark Campbell and Gabe McInroy earned assists.

Mark Campbell scored Stirling's fourth and final goal. Gabe McInroy and Mike Lessard picked up assists.

Campbellford scored with 3:48 remaining in the third to break the shutout.

On Dec. 11 Stirling hosted Ennismore and lost by a close 1-0 score.

Ennismore's goal came in the second period.

Stirling hosted Prince Edward County and blew the Kings out 8-1.

The Blues' Mark Campbell led the way offensively scoring four goals.

Neither team scored in the first period.

Campbell opened the scoring in the second period, with assists from Gabe McInroy and Mike Lessard.

Prince Edward County scored to cut the lead in half.

The Blues regained their two goal lead with Mark Campbell scoring from Scott Bolte and Gabe McInroy.

Stirling went on to score five unanswered goals in the third period. The scorers were: Mike Lessard, Mark Campbell (2), Matt Simmons (2). Assists went to Gabe McInroy (2), Scott Jonah, Mike Lessard, Matt Simmons and Scott Bolte.

# Peewee "A"s beat Prince Edward County

The Stirling Peewee "A" Blues hosted Prince Edward County Kings on Dec. 11 and skated to a 4-3 win.

Prince Edward County opened the scoring in the first period to take a 1-0 lead.

Stirling tied the score 1-1 on a goal from Mike Lain with assists from Jeremy Walker and Mark Russett.

Prince Edward County regained its one goal lead late in the first.

In the second period Stirling tied the game and then took the lead on goals from Kyle McInroy and Kelly Sage. Jake Hastey, Kelly Sage, Jeremy Walker and Eric Lessard all earned assists.

In the third period, Stirling increased its lead to 4-2 on a goal from Jay Simmons. Kelly Sage received an assist.

Prince Edward County scored to pull within one, but that was as close as they would get.

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# The Red Christmas Bows

**Editor's note:** The following essay was submitted by Tammy Haley, of Tweed, for inclusion in our Christmas edition. Combal Publications is pleased to share it with our readership at this time.

**by Tammy Haley**

It was Christmas Eve in the town of Three Forks, a quite little town in the Northern Territories. The snow was falling heavily on the already white town, but that did not stop the laughter of the chilren.

Some ran down the streets throwing snowballs. Others were lying in the snow making snow angels. The kids were full of excitement for they knew Santa was coming to leave them their presents and fill their stockings.

Now there was Molly, a bright and very intelligent seven year old girl, who only sat in the window staring out at the kids. She was not a happy child at this time.

It seemed like a long time since anyone heard her laugh, for Molly's mother had died Christmas Eve one year ago, with a dreadful disease, cancer.

Everyone had tried to make Molly feel better with decorations, tree trimmings, skating parties, but Molly's broken little heart was not into celebrating.

Her father, a very handsome and gentle man, had become quite worried about her withdrawn state, but the doctors assured him that her behaviour was quite normal for her to feel remorse and bitterness and even hatred.

Molly was very close to her mother and had wished and prayed many times to God, Santa or to whomever it took to bring her mother home again. Molly could not understand what her mother meant the night she died in that cold and lonely hospital room.

She had taken Molly's hand and squeezed it tight and whispered to her, "I love you Molly and I will never leave you as long as you keep me alive in your heart and think of me."

But Molly was mad at herself for she tried to think of her all the time and her little heart ached for her but her mother left her and would not come back. She cried herself to sleep many nights and tonight was no exception.

She knew it was going to be a night filled with dreams, but not of Santa Claus or sugared plims and candies.

The only thing she asked for was her mother to come home and she knew that in her heart her prayers and letters would go unanswered. Molly put her night gown on and went upstairs.

She kissed her dad and gave him a big hug and was glad that he had not left her also. Molly loved her father so, and knew that he was very upset over her not being able to carry on. He never pushed her or tried to make her forget her mother and she really loved her father for that.

The night was cold and she glanced out the window. She saw the brightest star she had ever seen and for just an instant she thought she heard someone whisper, "I will see you soon."

She tossed and turned but sleep came fast and so did her dreams. She awoke with a start and sat straight up. She was tired but also thirsty.

She put on her slippers and crept downstairs, careful not to make much noise. When she reached the bottom of the stairs she stood with awe and a little fear, because there at the tree was someone she did not recognize, a lady putting decorations on the tree.

She wore a beautiful full length white dress with lace around the sleeves and the back was all lace. She had wazy blonde hear down to the middle of her back, much like her own.

The lady held out her hand and Molly came closer. "Come Molly we have much to do, help me with the tree." She turned to face Molly and with a great cry Molly ran into her arms.

"Mommy, Mommy you came back. You really do love me." With tears of joy Molly saw the tears form also in her mother's eyes.

"Molly, Molly my little china doll, tonight I will try to ease your pain and try to make you understand that I will always be here for you when you need me. I will leave you again, but you will always know that I'm with you."

"Now come and let's fix this tree. Your daddy always tried to do his best, but it takes a woman's touch to create the beauty of the Christmas tree. Let's keep that our little secret."

They strung popcorn, chestnuts and hung the bulbs and balls. They laughed and talked for what seemed like days and together they rejoiced in the pleasures of mother and daughter.

Her mother looked at Molly and exclaimed, "Now for the finishing touches." She stood up and her dress had become a shimmering glow of the most beautiful light Molly had ever seen.

From under her dress she took out tiny red Christmas bows, hundreds of them. She turned to Molly and with warmth in her coal black eyes she said, "Molly, these bows I give to you for Christmas so that you will know that I will always love you no matter how lonely you get and that you can think of me and remember this night always.

"I fear for your father. He is worried about you and he needs you more then ever so let this night and every Christmas Eve be our special night. When you put the red Christmas bows on the tree I will be with you."

Molly felt warm and the she awoke and sat straight up and looked around the room; it was her room. She could not explain, but she felt somehow different. She thought that her memory of the night before was just a dream, so when she climbed out of bed and realized she had her slippers on she giggled for the first time in a year.

There was some kind of new anticipating in her, a feeling of happiness of overwhelming strength. She ran from her room and into the hallway, smack right into her father. She hugged him tightly and whispered "I love you" and took his hand in her and ran down the stairs.

When she reached the bottom Molly creid out, "It wasn't a dream she really does love me." And there before them, stood the most elegant tree with the little red Christmas bow twinkling in the glorious morning light.

She ran to the tree and cried out "Thank you for answering my prayers, now I have the memory and the bows from my mother to make me understand that dreams can come true."

Her father came to her side and saw the renewed job in her child's eye and raised his eyes in prayer to the Lord and whispered, "Thank you for thie miracle that you have bestowed upon my child."

Having said this he felt a soft touch upon his cheek and tears came to his eyes for he felt love and strength, the presence of his wife. he knelt down next to Molly and placed his arms around her and wept uncontrollably and Molly comforted him.

They cried; they laughed, hugged and they enjoyed the day and all the days after. And a day did not pass that Molly didn't think of her mother; and a day did not pass that her father did not thank his wife for he knew that it was her that had come to help their child.

So it came to pass that every Christmas Eve they spent time together and they each in their own way spent time with the woman they both loved. The red Christmas bows had become their symbol of love for her.

# Stirling Manor News

Our fall programs are in full swing thanks to the volunteers and community groups. Thanks to St. John's Anglican Women for hosting our monthly bingo and birthday party. Those celebrating were Harry Brown, Minnie Rowe, Mary Ramsey, Hilda Czerwinski and Grace Thrasher. Great lively music was provided by Jack Doran and friends. We were delighted when Annie Tanner helped out the fellows on piano proving that she hasn't lost the touch. Thanks to all for a great afternoon.

Ferlie Weatherall laid the memorial wreath at the cenotaph on behalf of the Manor on Remembrance Day. After lunch we enjoyed a visit from a group of Legion friends. At the same time Harry Brown was celebrating a surprise birthday party with family and friends.

A welcome tea was held for new residents Violet Sarginson, Edna Mills and Lorna Bowerman. We were pleased to see several family members join us.

Campbellford Glee Club spent the afternoon of Nov. 17 with us for a most enjoyable time. The afternoon of Nov. 23 we played bingo with the Belleville volunteers and got into the Christmas spirit early with a Christmas sing-a-long after. Once again Charlie and Aldora Mayell visited for a great afternoon entertainment on Nov. 24.

Friday, Nov. 26 was our Christmas Tea and Bazaar which was a great success. Thanks to all who worked so hard and all those who attended in support of the residents. The door prizes were won by Harvey Spry, Elizabeth Whalen and Helen McConnell.

Nov. 30 saw us exercising the vocal cords with Sharon Sager at the ivories.

The staff and residents of Stirling Manor wish you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

# Santa gets a helping hand this year

**by L.J. Jackson**

Staff of the Hastings County Adult Resource Centre for develomentally delayed adults are offering the fat guy with the beard, a hand this year.

Estelle Kimmett, co-ordinator for the organization, with Denise Calberry and Debra Tedford, both community employment supervisors for this area, are providing child care for shoppers with children at the Century Place Mall in Belleville.

"Approximately 150 people from Hastings County benefit from the services of the resource center," Calberry stressed the importance of the organization for this area.

It provides programs which emphasize work activity, including volunteer work in the communities; social activities such as bowling; a contract department provides sewing, lamenating, work with distributor caps and community employment support finds the client a job then trains that persons how to do it.

"It is a non-profit organization which strongly emphasizes integration into the community and community awareness," Calberry says although the organization is partially funded through the Ministry of Community & Social Services, it depends on fundraising to provide quality service. The programs are geared to reach a full circle with benefits to both clients and community.

Child care services for the Christmas season will be provided in the former Bell Canada office at the Century Mall with hours on Thursday and Fridays from noon until 5 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. until 5 p.m.

"Those who will be providing child care are credited with social worker diplomas," Calberry offered the reassurance to parents, high quality child care being an issue, she says, which every parent should be concerned with.

Any person who requires the services of the Adult Resource Centre and lives in the area of the Hastings County may contact the director, Nancy Woods, at 1-613-968-4461.

# Bantam "B"s drop 7-4 decision to Belleville

The Stirling Bantam "B"s hosted Belleville on Dec. 9 and dropped a 7-4 decision.

Stirling jumped out to an early 3-0 lead with one goal in the first and two goals in the second. The Blues first goal came from Clint Hadwin with assists from Mark Dafoe and Paul Dafoe.

In the second Stirling increased its lead to 3-0 on goals from John Russell and Mark Dafoe. Paul Dafoe, Scott Moorcroft, Blair Russett and Shaun Bramley all earned assists.

Belleville stormed back in the game scoring six unanswered goals including five in the second period and one in the third.

Stirling cut the lead to 6-4 in the third period on a goal from Bramley, with an assist from Mark Dafoe.

Belleville closed out the scoring in the game to make the final score 7-4.

# Bantam "A"s earn two ties at home

**by Jeff Wilson**

The Stirling Bantam "A"s earned two ties at home against Bancroft and Belleville.

In a league game against Bancroft on Dec. 12 at the Stirling arena, the Blues earned a tie with Bancroft, tying the score at 4-4 in the third period.

Bancroft opened the scoring in the first period.

Stirling knotted the score at 1-1 on a goal from Gary Sage with an assist from Travis Walker.

Bancroft regained its one goal lead before the end of the first period.

In the second period, Stirling tied the score on a goal from Walker with an assist from Josh Roach.

Bancroft jumped back in front 3-2.

The Blues tied the game before the end of the second on a goal from Kirk Widdows.

The teams traded goals in the third period to keep the game deadlocked.

Stirling's goal was scored by Gary Sage with an assist from Travis Walker.

On Dec. 10, the Bantam "A"s earned a tie with Belleville, scoring the tying goal with just seven seconds remaining in the third period.

Belleville opened the scoring in the first period.

Stirling tied the game on a goal from Kirk Widdows with an assist from Jason Musclow.

Belleville took a two goal lead before the end of the first period.

In the second Josh Roach scored and pulled the Blues to within one, 3-2. Kyle Adams and Gary Williams received assists.

In the third period, Stirling tied and then took the lead for the first time, on unassisted goals from Brent Raymond and Kyle Adams.

Belleville then scored two straight goals of their own to take a 5-4 lead.

The Blues looked to be going down to defeat, but Kirk Widdow's second goal of the game with seven seconds remaining salvaged the tie.

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# KIDS AT CHRISTMAS

**When Santa's Runner Brakes Broke**

When Santa was in the air, then when Santa landed the runner brakes broke. And then Rene said what's all that noise. Then Santa said it's me Santa. Can you help me? Rene said maybe, what's the problem? Santa said my runner brakes are broken. Okay I'll help you I'll get brand new skiis. Okay Santa, then I can deliver the rest of the presents.

**Evonne Lewis,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**How I Celebrate Christmas**

I celebrate Christmas by getting up at six o'clock. I go to my gramma's and grandpa's house and celebrate there too. I go to my other gramma's in Tweed. We celebrate Christmas by getting a lot of presents.

**MaryAnne Fleming,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Snowflakes**
Snowflakes
Fluffy and white
Falling from the tree tops
Bringing warmth and joy to us all
Snowfall

**Alisha Ferguson**
**Grade 6,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Christmas**
Sleigh bells jingling
People can be heard singing
Small kids eyes are twinkling
Christmas time is here!

**Katie Burnside**
**Grade 5,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Angels**
Angels in the air at night
Shining off their wonderful light.
Their wings are very sparkling white,
And their halos are ever so bright.

The little children are sleeping
Waiting to be found.
Even though the angels see them
They do not make a sound.

The streets are filled with street lamps.
The angels come to see.
The streets are very busy
Because it's Christmas eve.

Merry Christmas

**Lindsay Rollins,**
**Grade 5,**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Sleigh Ride**
Jingling bells
Slides through the snow quickly
I will go for ride with you
Sleighing

**Erin Reitav,**
**Grade 5**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Elves**
Elves
Loveable, little
Helps, cares, builds
Santa's helpers make toys.
Elves

**Tricia Wannamaker**
**Grade 6**
**Madoc Twp. School**

**Egg Nog**
Egg Nog
Tasty, delicious
Quenchs my thirst
Makes me feel delightful
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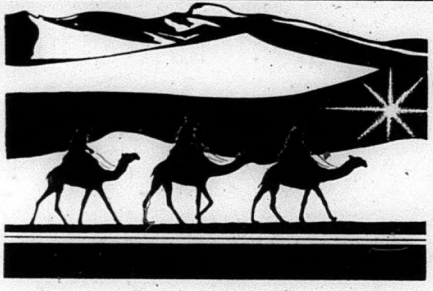

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# KIDS AT CHRISTMAS

**Christmas**

Christmas is a time of year
To live and laugh and give a cheer
In this holiday the only fear
Is freezing off your little ears.

Receiving presents is the best of all
The worst is running through the mall
Trying to find a stupid doll
That goes to the washroom when it falls.

The best is also playing in the snow
Picking it up and giving it a throw
Crash a G.T. into an unwanted foe
And coming home with a broken toe.

But most of all spending time with your friends
Even if they're far away, you can call long distance.
Singing and playing to no end
With New Year's being around the bend.

**Douglas Wood**
**Grade 8**
**Madoc Public School**

**Homeless on Christmas**

Home alone on Christmas night.
Thinking of the homeless sight,
Those looking through the window pane
They have no Christmas, it's full of rain,
The darkness, the lightness is full of love,
Through the check-out lines we push and shove,
Outside cold and alone,
Wishing they had a loving home once in a family,
Now on the streets,
With every disease they try to defeat,
On Christmas play remember this poem,
And be thankful you have a loving home.

**Karen Edwards and Lisa Blakeman**
**Grade 8**
**Madoc Public School**

**Christmas**

Christmas is an old tradition
6H giving presents to one and all
Heavy gifts are not always the best.
Remember some people don't believe in Christmas (My dad is one of them!)
Some people don't get it, that Christmas is giving and not receiving.
To give is a better present than to receive.
Men everywhere cut the turkey on Christmas Day.
Anxiously we wrap presents.
Santa Claus is coming tonight!

**Matthew Bushey**
**Grade 6**
**Madoc Public School**

**The Best Christmas Ever**

I was lying in bed on Christmas Eve, thinking about what I might get the next day. I could not get to sleep.

I shut the door and shut all the lights off. Then my eyes got heavy. I was out like a light.

When I woke up I was schocked, a Christmas tree in my room? There were four presents under it. The I went out and saw more presents than I ever got before.

I went in and woke up my parents up so we could open them. I ate while they got dressed. We started opening our presents, but the I remembered about their gifts from me.

I ran in and got their gifts from my room. I gave my mom silver earrings shaped as horses. I gave my dad some hacksaw blades and a hammer. It was the best Christmas ever!

**Devin Keller**
**Grade 6**
**Madoc Public School**

**Peace Please**

The problems that we hack,
Are unemployment and income tax.
But not a care do we give,
About those who can barely live.
We must go there in jumps and strides.
To help the victims to survive.
Now these two words I yell and plead:
Give me peace, please!

**Jesse Gottlieb-Jacob**
**Grade 6**
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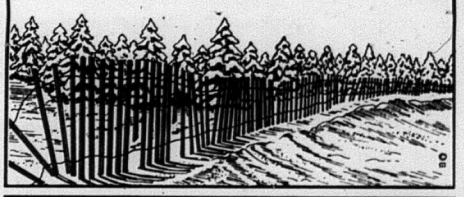

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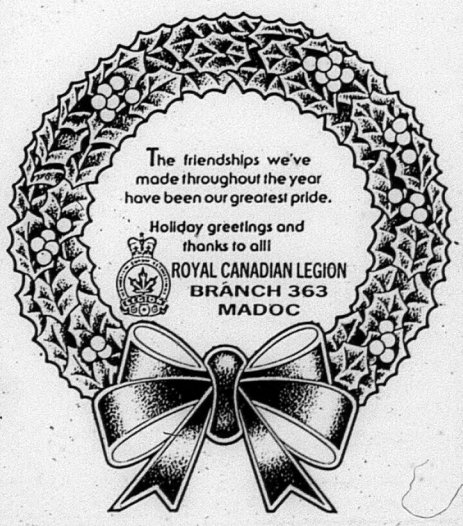

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## Elzevir and Grimsthorpe Townships

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their Transportation Study copy for office.

It was moved by Stephens and seconded by Brough that Council tender for Diesel and Furnace Oil to be opened Dec. 20 at 7:15 p.m.

It was moved by Godin and seconded by Stephens that the roads and office be closed Dec. 24 at 1 p.m. Dec. 27 and 28 and 31 at 1 p.m. and Monday Jan. 3/94.

Council adjourned to meet again Dec. 6 or at the call of the Reeve.

**SPORT TO REPORT? CALL THE MADOC REVIEW NEWSPAPER AT 473-4476.**

## Madoc CWL gather for annual Christmas feast

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A beautiful plant was the door prize, which was won by Mrs. Pauline Dudgeon. The evening came to a close with a gift exchange amongst the ladies as a token of friendship and giving. Our next monthly meeting will be scheduled in January 1994.

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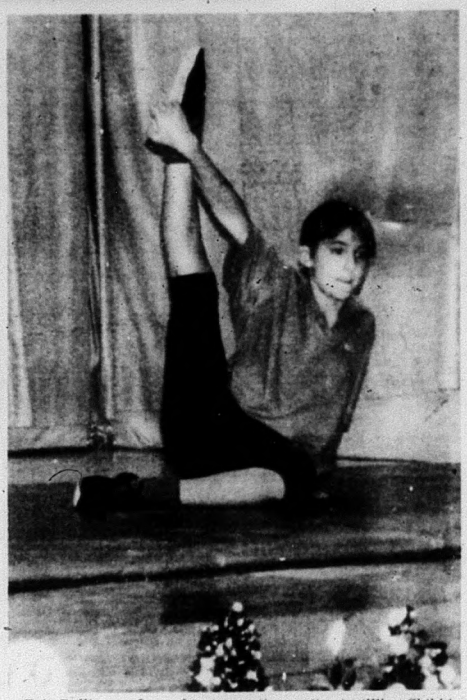
# Madoc Township School Variety Night

*Madoc Township School students Samantha Foley, Michelle and Shannon Rollins and Michelle and Geoffrey Moorcroft performed "Jingle Bell Rock" during the school's Christmas Variety Night held last Wednesday night at the school.*



*Erin Rollins performed a gymnastics routine to "What Child Is The" during the Variety Night at the Madoc Township School last Wednesday.*

*The Grade 6 girls performed a little song and dance number during the Variety Night show at the Madoc Township School last Wednesday night.*

*Meggan Wood was the first to perform at the Christmas Variety Night at Madoc Township School last Wednesday. Meggan performed a lip sync of "Tant Wait Till Quithmath" a song sung by Tweety Pie*

*Alisha Ferguson (left), Katie Tebone (middle) who has returned after quickly recovering from a single vehicle accident, and Lindsay Rollins (right) performed "Rock'in Around the Christmas Tree" last Wednesday night.*

Ring In Christmas Cheer

# KIDS AT CHRISTMAS

**The Rotten Christmas Tree**

Once there was a rotten Christmas Tree. She was brown all over. When the wind blew, she fell down. All the other Christmas Trees were gone. All that was left was the rotten Christmas Tree. Very soon she turned black. Then she began to turn into different colours. She was beautiful. Everybody came to see her and she was happy.

**Mandy Vierich**
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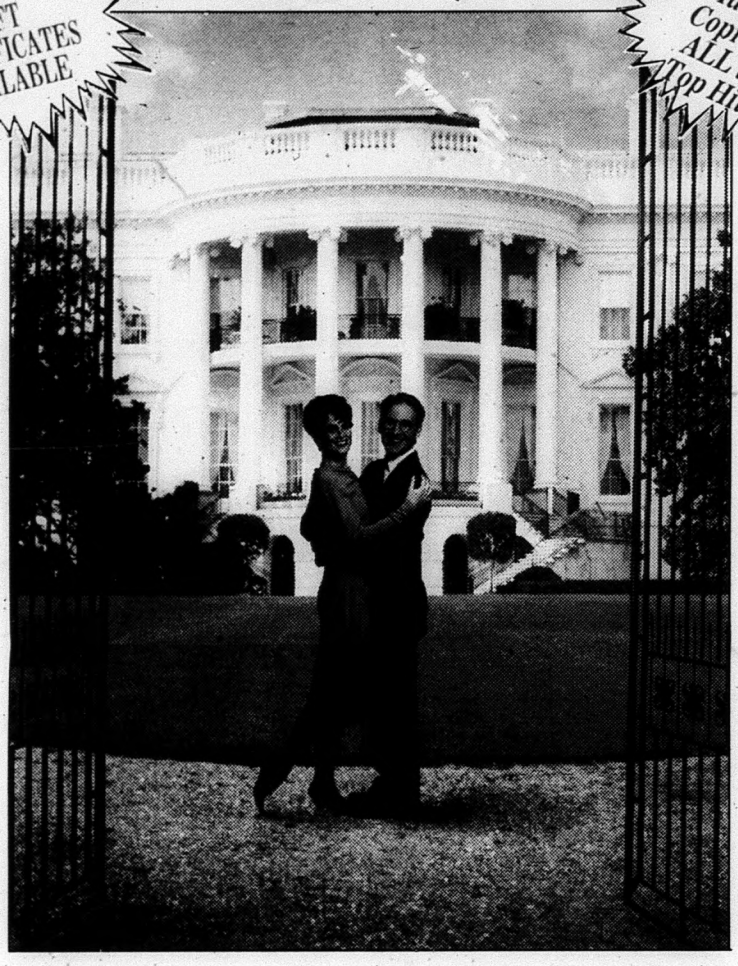

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"Is Santa here?" I asked.

"No," said the elf. "He is sick."

"Oh, no," I said in surprise.

I rushed into the house. I saw Santa and said, "Santa, is there anything we can do?"

"Yes," said Santa. "You can drive the sleigh."

"Okay. Where is it?" I asked.

"It is in the garage," Santa said.

I ran out the door. I hopped into the sleigh and I went all around the world giving out presents.

**Drew McCredie**
**Grade 2**
**Madoc Public School**

**My Christmas In The Woods**

"What do you want for Christmas mom?" I asked.

"You mean you don't know what I want? I told you what I wanted yesterday! If you can't remember by tonight, you are going to be spending Christmas in your room!"

I'm Jennifer Brown but most people call me Jenn. As you can see, I am treated like dirt in my house. All my mom thinks about around Christmas time is presents! She doesn't care about anything except presents! I've thought about running away to where I used to play when I was a little girl. The woodswas a great place to hide.

The next morning I starfed packing, ready to run away. I packed some warm clothes because it was winter and there was already snow on the ground. But I sneaked out of the house and put about five or six blocks of wood in my knap-sack to make a fire later, and I walked to the woods.

It wasn't very far so I didn't need to get a ride. When I got there, I put my knap-sack down in the snow and made a fire. It was around three o'clock when I blew out the fire and decided to take a nap. When I woke up I realized it was the next day!

"Today is Christmas!! I'd better find a tree." I found an old Christmas tree that someone had thrown away. I decorated it with pine cones and old sticks. But I was homesick, so I started to walk home. When I reached home I put my stuff in my room and went to see my parents.

"Where were you? We've been worried sick about you!" my mother said.

"I went away," I said.

"Don't ever do that again," my dad scolded.

I sat down in the living room and opened my presents. From that day on I have never forgotten the woods. When I was in the woods I thought about Christmas and my family. I also thought about how my mother acted. I guess she is like that. When I was in the woods I got really lonely and suddenly I missed my parents a lot. I guess next Christmas I should stay home!

**Sheila Bailey**
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*Counting down to Christmas!*

*Kindergarten youngsters at Kent Public School in Campbellford are holding up fingers as they count down the number of days and weeks before Christmas. The Kent kids were rehearsing for their annual Christmas concert held last week. The teaching staff and all the students extend best wishes to readers for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.*

**photo/Rolly Ethier**

## "Very classy lady" Mary Ellen Beamish retires from Board

Described as a woman who paved the way for other women, both locally and provincially, Mary Ellen Beamish, a superintendent with the Northumberland and Newcastle Board of Education, retires at the end of this month.

"She forged the way as she advanced the cause of women in educational administrative leadership," said Dick Malowney, director of education for the Board.

At a recent retirement dinner for Mrs. Beamish, Hastings Public School superintendent Margaret Werkhoven noted that Mrs. Beamish served as a role model provincially.

At the dinner, Malowney said: "She is a sincere educator, a confidant, a gracious person who is sensitive to others and, above all, a very classy lady."

Mary Ellen, who began teaching at Port Hope High School in 1958, was the first female appointed secondary school principal in this board. In 1988, she scored another historical first for the board as she became the first woman appointed to the position of superintendent.

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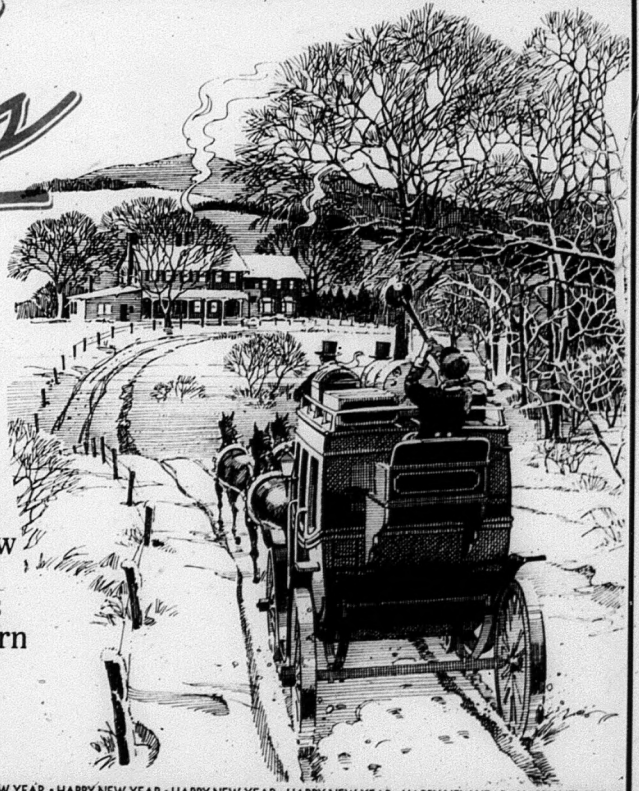

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**Hot, Mulled Apple Juice or Cider**

1 quart unsweetened apple juice or cider
1 2-inch piece cinnamon stick
5 whole cloves

Combine ingredients in saucepan. Place over medium heat and bring to boiling, reduce heat and simmer for 20 minutes. Strain mixture and serve hot in mugs. Serves 4 - 6. CHEERS!

**Hot, Mulled Pineapple Juice**

1 can (46 oz.) unsweetened pineapple juice
1 2-inch piece cinnamon stick
1/8 tsp. ground nutmeg
1/8 tsp. ground allspice
dash of ground cloves

Combine all ingredients in medium-size saucepan; bring to boiling over medium heat. Reduce heat; cover, and simmer for 20 minutes to blend flavours. Remove from heat and remove cinnamon stick. Serve warm in individual mugs. Serves 6.

**Apple Zip Sauce**

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# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## People should be informed of new recycling trial run

In a Percy Township council meeting Dec. 7th, council agreed to a trial run by opening the recycling bins on a 24-hour basis.

I consider the trial period a referendum: whether the environment-minded citizens of Percy Township want me to work for further improvements or to shut up.

All efforts can be torpedoed by anyone, supporting Mrs. Wynn Platt's position, by putting contaminants into the recycling bins. Plastic shopping bags are considered contamination, too!

I stated in my presentation to council that a thorough investigation of the recycling situation in Northumberland pointed to the fact that contamination of the containers is mostly caused by plastic shopping bags used to transport recyclable material to the bins. There is nothing provided for the bags. I recommended placing a box beside the bins to collect the clean plastic shopping bags for recycling. I modified a box I built to collect used batteries for this purpose.

Furthermore, I altered the sign which stood on the corner of Main and Church from reading: "Percy Township recycles Saturday, to: recycles 24 hours." On Dec. 14th, a week after the council meeting, I asked the Township Clerk for permission to put the sign and box in place but was

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# THE INTREPID SNOWMOBILER

## Understanding Top Trails

*"The weekly newspaper column for snowmobilers"*

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With a new TOP Trail map available, it's time to clear up some confusion. Suddenly last winter snowmobilers started to hear the new "TOP" term. Most probably thought it was synonymous with "best". While this may be true, it's by no means the full story.

With the debut of the first TOP Trail map in 1992, few had any idea of the scope or purpose, so it came under immediate criticism. It showed a system that apparently excluded much of Southern Ontario and seemed too general to be of much use on the trail.

In fact, that map was a prototype for an evolving new trail network that will not be formally completed until 1995. But since rumours about TOP Trails were already making the rounds, the idea of that map was to collect existing data so that the OFSC, the clubs, and snowmobilers could see the vision on paper and would have the same base to work from for improvements and corrections. It would also provide both tourists and Ontario snowmobilers with a current, albeit incomplete, snapshot of the new system and give some indication of what it could and would be.

Most important, that first TOP Trail map was a key tool in making SNO-TRAC a reality. The 20.8 million, Snowmobile Trail Rehabilitation and Construction (SNO-TRAC) partnership between the Province and the OFSC is geared to the job creation, economic development and winter tourism opportunities associated with putting the TOP Trail system in place. That first map was essentially the blueprint around which SNO-TRAC proponents could (sucessfully) rally support. So while the map may have been incomplete, it served its purposes exceedingly well.

Now enter a second and considerably updated TOP Trail map. The 1994 version is a quantum leap forward and addresses many TOP Trail concerns, not the least of which is: **what is a TOP Trail anyway?**

TOP Trails are an acronym for Trans Ontario Provincial Trails: an interconnecting network of snow highways whose main function is to carry snowmobile traffic from one corner of the province to the other linking snowbelt communities along the way. There are three kinds of TOP Trails.

TOP Trunk Trails are the main **through** routes. Mostly they run from border to border joining Ontario's various snowmobile regions. They are presently 5 Trunk Trails designated by a single letter from "A" to "E" shown in red on the new map.

TOP Connector trails **connect** trunk trails to one another. They are denoted by a letter-number-letter designation such as E103B, where the "103" is the actual connector number and the "E" and "B" indicate he two trunk trails so linked. The new map displays connectors in green.

Finally, there are TOP Feeder Trails which originate locally and **feed** traffic into the system. They are labelled with a letter-number combination such as D105 where "105" is the feeder number and "D" is the Trunk Trail it feeds. Feeders appear in blue. Where a feeder starts at a border crossing it may be shown as letter-number-letter "E110Q" where the last letter is the initial of the province or state.

Part of the confusion with TOP Trails stems from the erroneous assumption that the whole system is new. In fact, while the TOP Trail concept and designations are new, the system uses both existing snowmobile trails, many of which were previously the old provincial "SNO" routes, and existing corridors previously unused for legitimate snowmobiling. In all, of about 9,500 kms of TOP Trails being developed under SNO-TRAC, only a small portion actually involve cutting a brand new trail where none existed before.

So what does all of this mean to you? By 1995, Ontario will have the best trail system in the world. For local, regional or trans-provincial riding, you will be able to access the TOP Trail system almost anywhere in the province, riding as far as your time and inclination allow. The standard set by the new TOP system will also

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positively impact your local club's trails, making the overall provincial trail standards much better. Meanwhile, the new map will attract more snowmobiling tourists and give more momentum to the economics upon which the current snomobiling boom is based.

On the trail, it means redesigned TOP Trail signs. The familiar white triangles now sport the new TOP Trail logo and more legible, bright red trail numbers. With many more upgraded TOP Trails coming on stream this winter, you'll see more signs and more clearly marked intersections. Almost 200,000 new directional markers are being added by 1995.

And TOP Trails will be the best trails. Since SNO-TRAC began last winter, 37 new groomers have made our provincial fleet the world's largest. Many more groomers will be added by 1995. With new bridges and signs, wider trails and better sightlines, and much improved grooming capability, our snowmobiling will be the "tops" in the world. To benefit, all you have to do is buy an OFSC trail permit. Until next time, Happy Trails, and remember, Sled Smart: RIDE SAFE, RIDE SOBER.

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## "Very classy lady"

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Describing the particular perspective she brought to the senior administrative council table, Malowney said: "She was concerned about the importance of affirming people's worth within the organization. She displayed a strong sense of empathy and worked to ensure that all portions of an issue were heard."

A long-time resident of Port Hope, Mary Ellen became vice-principal of Cobourg District Collegiate Institute East in 1981. In 1982, she was appointed to the position of principal at that school and, in 1987, she moved to Port Hope High School as principal.

She is a graduate of the University of Toronto and of Queen's University.

An active contributor to her community, she was director and vice chairperson of Access, a group for developmentally challenged adults, and was vice-president of the Cobourg Business and Professional Women's Club. She is married to Port Hope dentist Dr. Charles Beamish and they have four children and seven grandchildren.

## Christmas open house

The Campbellford and District Community Care has extended an invitation to all volunteers and clients to a Christmas Open House Friday, Dec. 17th from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

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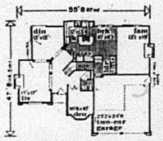

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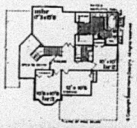

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# Kids At Christmas

**Christmas At My House**

Dad is hanging holly,
Mom the mistletoe,
I am trimming the Christmas tree
And outside there's a blanket of snow.
Now the guests are coming
Climbing out of cars
Then there's merry rejoicing
And all the eyes are stars.
The shopping's finally finished
Though done in super haste
And now the kids are raiding the kitchen.
Seeing how things taste.
Now the kids are shouting out
Joyfully with glee,
At their gifts with their names on
Under the Christmas tree!

**Victoria Morrow,**
**Grade 6,**
**Percy Centennial**

**Christmas Story**

Presents under the tree
Stacked as high as you and me.
Stockings hung by the fire-place with joy.
In hope they'll be filled with
Candies and a toy.
The snow is falling
The fire is not lit
Just in case you know-who may come down it.
And then you hear
"Merry Christmas to all
and to all a good night!"

Ho, ho, ho!

**Kathleen Ellis,**
**Grade 6,**
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**When Winter Comes**

When winter comes,
The breezes hum
The birds fly south
Their wings a drum
The leaves fall off the trees
And flutter in the breeze
When winter comes.

**Jon Newby,**
**Grade 6,**
**Percy Centennial**

**The Big Storm**

It was a miserable day at the North Pole. It was very cold and there was a blizzard on the way. All the elves were in their workshops working away. Tomorrow was Christmas.

Santa and three of his elves were feeding the reindeer. One of the elves discovered that Rudolph had a very bad cold. He would not be able to guide Santa's sleigh.

Meanwhile, in one of the little, cozy workshops was an elf. This elf was not like any other because he was only five years old. His name was Todd. He had no friends because he was so young. That made him extremely lonely and curious.

That night he sneaked out of his cozy house and went to the workshop. When he got there he took nails, screws, wire, a small light bulb, a hammer and wood. He started to work.

Santa had gotten extremely worried and upset. He was not a patient man! Without Rudolph, Santa needed to find a source of light to guide his sleigh. Christmas may be ruined otherwise!

The next morning the little elf woke up. He reached under his pillow to find the small device that he made the night before. It was a small, brown device with a glass end. The light bulb inside could shine

light out of the opening.

Todd wanted to name his contraption. He sat and thought and finally came up with a name. He decided to call it a tidley-wink.

As Tood was walking back to the workshop that day he overheard two elves talking. They were talking about Rudolph. Todd heard everything and he was extremely concerned. He ran to Santa and showed him his invention.

That night there was a giant feast in honor of Todd. They decided to call it a flash light. Christmas was saved.

**Sarah Belanger,**
**Grade 6,**
**St. Mary's School**

**Red and White Stripes**

Santa Claus was picking candy canes from his garden. When he noticed that he was picking the last one. Santa set off for his sleigh and called the reindeer's names. There was a flash of light and he was gone.

An hour later, he was at Antarctica. He tried to find the South Pole with its red and white stripes.

At last Santa Claus found it in a deep valley. He made his way to it, and took a piece. He placed it in a canteen which had some water in it. He tucked it in his inside pocket of his red coat. As Santa turned to go back to his sleigh, he noticed that the chip drew back on the South Pole.

Santa climbed up into his sleigh. He called the reindeer's names again. He rose up into the sky and was off in a flash of light. Santa returned in an hour and pulled out the canteen. He poured the water and chip onto the snow. The area turned red and white. Santa continued to do his gardening.

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**Vanessa Graham,**
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# Kids At Christmas

**The Gift of Understanding**

Christmas time. For most people it's a happy day of celebration and fun with family and friends. For me it used to be that too. But now it would end up being the saddest day of the year. You see, last year on Christmas Day, my best friend Kristen committed suicide.

Kristen had always been a very happy person. At school, she was everyone's friend and was constantly involved in some activity. She was always in a good mood and was always smiling. But then her parents got divorced and everything about her changed. She became depressed and angry all the time. She let her grades drop from top of the class to barely passing. I guess she just couldn't deal with having to choose between her parents and the rest of the decisions that came with divorce. Kristen was never the same after that. Then, on Christmas Day, she committed suicide.

After months of counselling and talking to different doctors, I had finally come to terms with her death. But I still missed her a lot. The only thing that I don't really understand is why she did it on Christmas. Christmas had always been her favorite day of the year.

This year, as Christmas quickly approached, I began to slowly pull away from everyone. I didn't talk to my friends that much, I didn't sing Christmas songs, I didn't help put up the tree. Now, looking back, I realize that I was only ruining Christmas for everyone else.

The last couple of days before Christmas I spent with my family. I tried to act as happy as I could and forced myself to take part in some family activities.

Finally, on Christmas morning, everyone got up and ran downstairs as usual. But before everyone else began opening their gtifts, my parents said that they had a special gift for me. They handed me a rectangular shaped package and watched as I read the tag.

I was surprised to find that it was from Kristen's parents. I slowly tore away the wrapping paper. Inside was Kristen's diary. I stared at it for a few moments.

Then I turned to the page that had been marked. It was the last entry that Kristen had written before she died. I began reading.

By the time I had finished reading the entry, I was crying. Suddenly I had the answers to all of my questions. They were all there in the diary, in Kristen's perfect handwriting.

I spent the rest of the day with my family, enjoying Christmas. Really enjoying it, not just putting on an act. Thanks to that one small gift, Christmas would once again be a day of celebration and fun. That one gift not only helped me understand Kristen's death, it also made me realize how thankful I was for what I had. Thankful for my loving family and caring friends and most of all thankful to be alive.

That afternoon, I took some of our food and donated it to the local homeless shelter. I had learned that Christmas was about giving, not receiving. And I wanted to give to those who are less fortunate than me.

Even though the gift was

really only a small book filled with words, it came to be so much more. It helped me to understand what Christmas is all about.

**Amanda Moir,**
**Grade 8,**
**St. Mary's School**

**One Happy Santa Claus**

It was Christmas Eve, Santa Claus was getting everything ready to make his yearly trip around the world. He got in his sleigh. Something was not quite right. He noticed that his sleigh was broken. Santa decided to try and ride Rudolph, the red nosed reindeer. Santa was too heavy!

Santa called on the oldest, shortest and wisest elf in the North Pole.

"Harry Elfkin, do you know how to fix a sleigh?" asked Santa.

"I'll do it!" Harry replied. Harry returned from his workshop with his tools. He started to hammer one nail in.

"Ouch!" Harry cried. The hammer had hit his finger. Harry started to wince, "Boo Hoo, boo hoo." Santa had some of his elves take Harry to the "Happy Hospital."

Santa started to fix the sleigh, with a little help from his little elves. Sure enough the sleigh was in working order, within a few minutes.

Off they flew into the sky. They were in the air for a couple of minutes, when Santa asked, "Where are my toys?"

Santa looked down on the different countries.

"My toys are falling," he cried. The toys were falling into everyone's home.

"That's it, I fixed my sleigh for no reason?!" Santa said angrily.

"You are Santa Claus and you're never supposed to be angry."

One of the elves spoke up. "You're right, Tiny Tony," said Santa. "Thank you for reminding me. I'll try to be a happy Santa Claus from now on."

We're sure that all of the children around the world will be very happy too!" said all of Santa's elves.

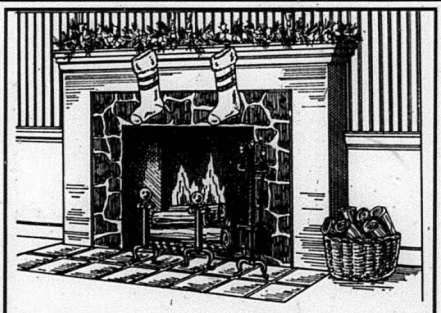
Santa and his elves managed to deliver all of the presents to their rightful owners. The night ended, with an empty sleigh and a very happy Santa Claus.

**Mellisa MacDonald,**
**Grade 5,**
**St. Mary's School**

**Christmas**

Candles,
Holidays
Running in the snow
Icicles
Snow
Trees
Making things,
A joyful time
Sending presents.

**Carly Carter,**
**Percy Centennial**

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# Kids At Christmas

**The Christmas Tree**

Once upon a time there was a lonely Christmas tree. The lonely, Christmas tree had no friends. Everybody would just walk past the tree.

The next day a family walked past the tree. Someone called--"I want that tree." The girl's name was Sally. She had a brother named Tom. When they saw the lonely Christmas tree they said they wanted it for Christmas. So they cut down the tree and took it home. It made the Christmas tree happy because now it had friends.

**Shelley,**
**Grade 3, Kent School**

**A Cold Night**

It was a cold night. The moon was big and round. Santa thought that he would have to cancel Christmas because of the cold weather. The elves were sad but one elf was not.

This elf said to Santa: "What is the matter."

"Aren't you sad?" asked Santa. "No," said the elf. 'I'm not sad. I have an idea. We elves can buy some warmers for Santa so he can put them in his gloves. That will be our present for Santa."

The elves jumped and twirled around the room. They drove their sleds to the North Pole store to buy some hand warmers. They were so happy.

**Jesse DeFrance,**
**Grade 2,**
**Percy Centennial**

**The Babe Was Born**

Mary and Joseph had to go to Bethlehem because they got chased out of their homes. And Mary was having a baby. When they got there, all of the hotels were full.

One of the managers asked if they wanted to stay in the stable. They said yes. When

they got there, then Mary had the baby. His name was Jesus.

**Liam Archer,**
**Grade 2,**
**Percy Centennial**

**An Angel Appears**

Mary and Joseph had to go to Bethlehem because the bad-king was going to kill Baby Jesus.

Mary wrapped the baby in swaddling clothes and laid Him in the manger.

Out in a field shepherds were looking after their sheep. They saw a star. It means that Baby Jesus was born.

An angel appeared, too. The angel said, "Do not be afraid. I bring good news to all people. The Saviour Jesus is born. You will find Him in a manger." And they worshipped him.

**Karen Ikonomu,**
**Grade 2,**
**Percy Centennial**

**Going to Bethlehem**

Mary and Joseph had to go to Bethlehem because there was a new command from the Romans. Mary could not walk because she was pregnant so she had to ride on a donkey. When they got to Bethlehem there were no rooms left.

One of the hotel keepers offered them a stable to shelter them for the night. They were happy with a place to stay for the night. That night the baby was born.

**Christine Cleary,**
**Grade 2,**
**Percy Centennial**

**If I Could Have A Christmas Wish**

If I could have a Christmas wish it would be for my cousin Leanna. She lives in Ajax. She has a hip problem and is handicapped. Leanna has had many operations. I wish that she wouldn't have a hip problem and she was no longer handicapped. Leanne can't talk. She has a brother and two sisters. If I could have a Christmas wish that's what I'd wish for.

**Michelle Carlaw,**
**Grade 5,**
**Percy Centennial**

My Christmas wish is to get everyone out of the hospitals and everyone out of foster care and give money to poor people. I would gather everyone from the streets for a Christmas dinner. I would get everyone a present and get them what they wanted. I would become a doctor and help solve a disease. That's my Christmas wish.

**Michael Hobbs,**
**Grade 5,**
**Percy Centennial**

**Christmas**

Christmas is not about getting presents. And it's not just about feasting. It is about remembering Jesus and spending time with our family. I know it is fun to get presents and feast but Christmas is not about that. Some people don't even get presents on Christmas so think of them, too. That's what Christmas means to me.

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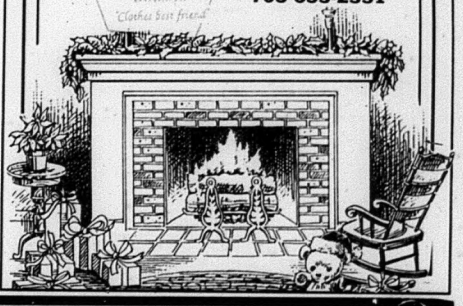

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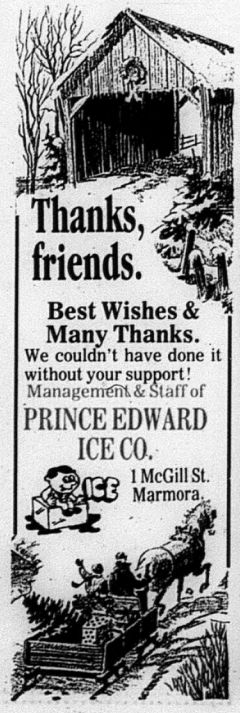


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# Kids At Christmas

## Letters in the Santa Claus mailbag

Dear Santa:

How are you this year? Are the elves working hard? How is Rudolph, Dasher, Dancer, Prancer, Vixen, Comet, Cupid, Donner and Blitson. Is Mrs. Claus feeling good? Is your sleigh ready for Christmas. Here is something my family would like for Christmas. My dad would like a new pair of socks. My mom would like a bracelet. My sister, Erin and Melanie would like new earrings.

Michael would like a nerf gun that shoots darts. I would like paint and a dazzle Barbie.

P.S.--Thank you for the things you gave me last year.

**Your friend,**
**Kerry Thomas,**
**grade 3, Kent School**

Dear Santa:

Could you please make it snow? All that I want is a Sega Genius with Sonic Two, Hockey '94, Joe Montana football, Echo the Dolphin and Jurassic Park. I want a Game Gear and some games. Thank you. Your friend.

**Andrew Preston,**
**Grade 3, Kent School**

Dear Santa:

How are you? I tried to be good. How is Mrs. Claus and your reindeer? I hope you don't get lost in the snow. Thank you for the toys last year. This year I would like Christmas Baby, a Game Boy and Sally Secret.

**Your friend,**
**Lindsay Pettey,**
**Grade 3, Kent School**

Dear Santa:

How are you at the North Pole? I am fine. I thank you for the things you brought me last year. It's okay with me if you don't bring what I put on my list. I would like a Key Board, Baby Giggles.

**Your friend,**
**Shannon Berkeris,**
**Kent School**

Dear Santa:

How are you this year. I hope you don't get sick. How is Rudolph and Mrs. Claus? I hope your sleigh doesn't break down and are your bells all shined up? Make sure the ropes for the reindeer don't snap. Here is some things I would like this year. I would like a fast track and some new hockey gloves. I really want a new hockey stick.

**Your friend,**
**Justin McConnell,**
**Grade 3, Kent School**

Dear Santa:

How are you? Hopoe you get lots of sleep. I know what it's like. I have to get up, sometimes at 6:45 to feed my cat. The one thing I would like the most is a Kitty, Kitty, Kitten. Hope that you have a Merry Christmas.

**Your friend,**
**Tanya Ibey,**
**Grade 3 Kent School**

**Jolly Old Santa**

Jolly old Santa, busy as he can be.
Working here, working there,
working everywhere.
So be good, don't you shout,
don't even pout.
We'll be good we won't be
bad for Jolly old Santa
is on his way.

**Alice Wilcox,**
**Grade 4, Kent School**

**Santa Claus**

Once there was a big old man who had a sled and a horse.

He hooked the horse to the sled and took off to outer space. He became Santa Claus.

He buys kids presents and adults, too. He goes down the chimney. But he forgot how to get out.

He pushed and pushed hard and finally popped out of the chimney. He slid down the roof and into the presents. Luckily nothing was broken and he was on his way.

**Andrew Hutchinson,**
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# Kids At Christmas

**Santa's Birthday**

One day Santa was very sad. He thought nobody remembered his birthday. Santa's birthday was the day before Christmas. Everybody was working away. Nobody noticed Santa was sad; nobody but Rudolph.

Rudolph told Mrs. Claus that Santa was sad. Mrs. Claus asked Santa what was the matter?

Santa said "Oh, nothing." Mrs. Claus was worried. Then she remembered it was Santa's birthday the next day.

Mrs. Claus said to the elves. "Mr. Claus' birthday is tomorrow and I want to give him a surprise party."

"Mrs. Claus," said the elves, "what do we have to do?"

Mrs. Claus answered "you have to make lhim a new sleigh for his birthday present."

The elves went right to work. Mrs. Claus went back to the kitchen to make a cake. When Mrs. Claus was done she called all kinds of people for the party.

The next day right before Santa got up everybody jumped up and said "Surprise! Happy Birthday Santa!" Santa was so shocked.

Then the elves said "Come outside Santa!" Santa went outside and he was very surprised to see a new sleigh! He thanked all the elves and Mrs. Claus for the sleigh and the party. When the party was over all the guests went home. Santa said it was the best birthday he had ever had.

**Kelly,**
**Grade 4, Kent School**

**What is Christmas**

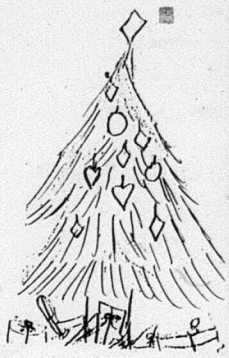
Christmas is love.
Jesus is love, He likes us. We are special to him.

**Katie Mainland**
**Grade 1**
**St. Mary's School**

**What is Christmas**

Christmas is a nice time.
Baby Jesus' birth is on Christmas day.
We go to Church on Christmas.
We like to go to our mom's.

**Nellie Collins**
**Grade 1**
**St. Mary's School**



**What is Christmas**

Christmas means Baby Jesus was born.
I like Christmas because we open presents and decorate the Christmas tree.

**Emilie Charbonneau**
**Grade 1**
**St. Mary's School**

**What is Christmas**

Christmas means to me Baby Jesus and Love.
On Christmas day Baby Jesus was born. I like Christmas.
Christmas is when families get together.

**Chris Heslinga**
**Grade 1**
**St. Mary's School**

**Presents**

People like presents.
Reindeer flying in the sky.
Elves making toys.
Santa flying the sled.
Everyone is happy.
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Snow falling from the sky.

**Matthew and Thomas,**
**Grade 4,**
**Kent School**


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# Kids At Christmas

**Christmas Day**

Christmas is having fun on the day that Christ was born. They got the name from Christ so we celebrate it by putting a Christmas tree up and giving our friends and family presents.

**Rebecca McKenzie,**
**Grade 7,**
**Percy Centennial**

**Christmas**

Christmas time is getting near
Time for hope and time for cheer
I've been good but it can't last
Hurry Christmas hurry fast
For Christmas I want peace on earth
The kind that's fun but the wait is worth
Some people want a little toy
But me I want a lot of joy
But something else, everyone knows
Me I want clothes, clothes, clothes.

**Bobbi-Jo Carter,**
**Grade 7,**
**Percy Centennial**

**Santa Is Coming**

On the day before Christmas Elizabeth rabbit was getting out the decorations. She asked her husband to go and pick out a tree. So when he got home he had a a great big one. Then after a supper of a big bowl of carrot stew, Elizabeth said to Mr. Rabbit "let's get out all the decorations and decorate the tree."

So they got the decorations out. First they got the lights, then the tinsel and the ornaments. Then they plugged in the electrical cord and it looked beautiful. That night Elizabeth's husband heard noises and woke up. They sounded like hooves. So Mr. Rabbit knew that he had been good. And in the morning the tree was stuffed with presents.

Elizabeth rabbit got a new doll and some building blocks and a brand new Barbie doll. And Mr. Rabbit got a new truck and a new train and track. They had a big supper. They had turkey and carrots, mashed potatoes, stew and wine. For dessert they had pumpkin pie, rasberry pie, lemon pie and carrot pie. They also had carrot jello. And they said it was the best Christmas ever!

**Adele,**
**Grade 3,**
**Kent School**

**Mistletoe**

Made to kiss under
Is used at Christmas
Super to have around pretty girls.
Telling people you have to kiss
Liking whoever is under
Everybody is having fun
Together when under it
One of my favorite things
Everyone kissing.

**Johnny Conway,**
**Grade 6,**
**Percy Centennial**

**Santa Gets Ready**

Every year Santa gets ready for Christmas. This year he and his elves are shopping. They have got lots of presents. The reinder are getting all their straps on for this Christmas. It's a long ride.

It's Christmas Eve and Santa got in the sleigh but he forgot to get the toys. He was already in the sky. He was far away from the North Pole and going down to a house when he noticed there were no presents.

So he went back to the North Pole. He couldn't find the presents. It was morning already when he found the presents. He would have to make his rounds the next night. Christmas was very disappointing for all the children when Santa had not come on Christmas Eve. But everyone was happy when they woke up on the morning after Christmas!

**Peter Birchall,**
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## Wanted

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## Personals

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## Notice

**NOTICE**
OF APPLICATION FOR A LICENCE
AGGREGATE RESOURCES ACT

I, Brian James Surerus, P.O. Box 104, Roseneath, Ontario K0K 2X0, hereby give notice that application has been made for a Class B licence to excavate aggregate from a pit of 3.55 hectares, located in Part of Lot 7, Concession 10, Township of Haldimand, County of Northumberland.
The application is for a new pit. The maximum amount of aggregate to be excavated annually is 20,000 tonnes. A detailed site plan for the proposed pit may be examined in the Township or County Office or at the Lindsay Area Office of the Ministry of Natural Resources.
Any person may send, in writing, objections with reasons and, if desired, a request for a hearing on this application by the Ontario Municipal Board, to the Minister of Natural Resources addressed to the local area office of the Ministry at the following address: 322 Kent Street West, Lindsay, Ontario K9V 4T7.
The last day on which objections and any request for a hearing may be filed with the Ministry is the 07th day of February, 1994. All information in respect of this application including any written objections is available for public review.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**
In The Estate Of VIOLA AMANDA VILNEFF (nee KELLY)

All claims against the Estate of Viola Amanda Vilneff, who died on December 12, 1993, are required to file proof, in writing, before January 14, 1994, after which date the Executor will distribute the Estate having regard only the claims then filed and the Executor will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have notice.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1993.

EXECUTOR: James H. Vilneff
687 Orpington Road
Peterborough, Ontario
K9J 4A5
705-745-0437

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## Announcements

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## Coming Events

SEASON'S GREETINGS
from
TUESDAY NIGHT BINGO
NO Bingo Dec. 21 & 28
At Madoc Kiwanis Centre
But will see you Jan. 4th.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.
Happy New Year, And May Your Bingos Be Good In 1994!

CAMPBELLFORD Legion Dabber Bingo, every Wednesday night, Upstairs Hall. Improved game structure! Starts 7:10 p.m. 5 warm-up games at $30. per game; Regular games $40. & $50.; Specials $100.; Legion Special $150.; Jackpot $1,000., remains at 55 numbers, $100. added each week until won; Outside Square $50.; Consolation Prize $250.; Bonanza 50/50 plus exchange, 25 cents. For a trial period of 3 months as of Oct. 6, 1993.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY
Eldorado — Madoc Township Rec. Centre
December 31, 1993
Music, "COUNTRY PRIDE"
9:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.
Hot Smorg, Favours, etc.
$45.00/couple
Get your tickets now!
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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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refused.

"Council don't want the box to be filled with garbage."

This was bending the truth. When I contacted council members they could not believe it. It was not council deciding on the denial but Reeve Platt's decision, assisted by the Town Clerk. The whole trial is for the birds if nobody knows about it.

Mrs. Platt is vehemently opposed to the trial run. She is obsessed with seeing contamination and garbage everywhere on the fairgrounds. She said: "I can see the mess after Christmas-already."

I believe we can do better!!

Denying permission to provide a box for the bags is a death sentence for the trial because people would be unable to adjust that quickly, especially without any notice being placed at the fairgrounds advising them what to do with the bags. I offered to take care of the box for the time of the trial period. No deal!

Mrs. Platt is completely out of touch with reality by speaking about supervision at the bins. People are doing their thing themselves already.

The Reeve's dominance must have influenced the last council meeting. There will be no box! According to Deputy Reeve Laver the sign should not read 24 hours because the action should be limited to daylight hours. So let's change it to: "All Day." But let's get the message out. Who is going there at night anyway?

If the blocking party in council would show a little concern some negotiation with Pine Ridge manager Doug Cunningham, who I know as a reasonable man, would provide a pickup of the bags when the bins are hauled to Cobourg.

A very interesting statement from the Reeve: "People will not do what they are told." If we could change that attitude towards people and ask them politely to participate they will do so. So please prove Mrs. Platt wrong!

Clean your garbage, sort it properly, and take your plastic shopping bags home.

**Rudi Kalweit,**
**Warkworth, Ont.**

## Christmas

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certificates can be used for many of the programs such as Meals On Wheels, Diners' Club and Home Help. Just call the Community Care office to make arrangements.

And finally, during the Christmas holidays, the Community Care office will be closed from noon on Dec. 24th until 9 a.m. on Jan. 3rd. Those people needing services during that time are asked to leave their names on the answering machine. It will be checked daily and calls will be returned.


**PUBLIC NOTICE**

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## Coming Events

**BINGO**
Madoc Twp. Rec. Centre, Eldorado
Every Thursday Evening
Early Bird 7:30 p.m.
JACKPOT MUST GO EVERY NIGHT!
*110 players or less $500.00*
*Over 111 Players $1,000.00*
*OVER 150 PLAYERS, $1,500.00*

CAMPBELLFORD: Kinsmen Bingo, Thursday nights, starting at 7:00 p.m., Legion Hall. $1,200 Jackpot starting at 50 numbers, increasing weekly until won. Mini Jackpot starting at $500 on 55 numbers or less, $100 added weekly until won. Ask about our Looney Bingo!

MARMORA LIONS SUNDAY NIGHT BINGO
New format - cheaper cards
6 $6, 9 $9, 12 $12, 18 $18
$40 regular games
Opens 6 p.m., Lightnings 7 p.m.
New Smoke Eater. Additional parking beside Curling Club. Wheelchair access.

HAVELOCK Lions Bingo: Wed. & Fri., Havelock Community Centre. 8 Early Bird Games, 7:00 p.m., 15 Regular Games, 7:30 p.m., 5 Special Games. Jackpots start at $1,000, stays at 55 numbers, increases $50 each week until won.

MARMORA Agricultural Society Annual General Meeting, Thursday, January 13, 1994, 7:30 p.m., Robert Empey Hall.

Welcome To
Candlelight Service
at Cordova Mines
United Church
Dec. 22nd at 7:00 p.m.
Refreshments
Following Service

MARMORA Legion Dabber Bingo, Monday nights. Early bird starts 7:30 p.m., 18 regular games at $20 each, 6 specials, plus Bonanza and $1,000 Jackpot in 55 numbers.

**BINGO**
Havelock Rotary Club
Bingo at Havelock Legion,
8 Ottawa St. W. Thursdays 7:00 p.m.,
Early Birds 7:30 p.m. Regular Bingo 8:00 p.m.

NORWOOD Lions Club Dauber Bingo & Bonanza. Game every Tuesday night at Norwood Town Hall. 2 Early Bird games - 7:30 p.m. Regular Games start at 7:45 p.m. 2 Share the Wealth, $1,000 Jackpot stays at 55 numbers, increases $50 each week until won.

## Births

FINKLE - Miracle on Emma Street, Robert John Finkle. Newest member of Stirling Fire Department and baby brother for Nicki. Sunday, November 14, 1993, 11:28 p.m. at B.G.H. Proud parents Ernie and Kim. Grandparents Howard and Dicia Ellis, Stirling, and Mrs. John (June) Finkle, Belleville. Special thanks to Dr. Mary Gwizdal and 5th floor nurses.

## Help Wanted

**ACCOUNTANT**

World's Finest Chocolate Canada Ltd. is a manufacturer of quality chocolate products and a leader in confectionery fund raising in Canada. We are looking for an experienced ACCOUNTANT with organizational, leadership, and communication skills to function as a working manager in a small office environment. Qualified candidate will have experience in all areas of accounting; the ability to establish policies and procedures, and work closely with senior management and outside sales force. Accounting degree and knowledgeable in Lotus and Word Perfect preferred.

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K0L 1L0
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A true team player, you interact with customers and co-workers and your organizational skills are strong. Your previous working experience should include sales and marketing, order entry supervision, with in-depth knowledge of database, and spreadsheet computer programs.

If a challenging sales environment and the pleasure of living 1-1/2 hours east of Toronto appeals to you, send us your resume to:
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## Auctions

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31
MINI STOCKER SALE
LINDSAY COMMUNITY SALE BARN LTD.,
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Selling stocker steers, heifers & calves in lots of three or more. Expecting a good selection.
Barn is open Thurs. evening till 9 p.m. to receive cattle.
Regular sale time 11:00 A.M.
Stockers sell approx. 1:30 P.M.
Contact CARL HICKSON 705-324-9959 or SALE BARN 705-324-2774

LINDSAY COMMUNITY SALE BARN LTD.,
R.R. 2 Lindsay, will be CLOSED December 24 — 27 and OPEN December 31 for regular sale.
*Carl, Bev & staff wish each one a Blessed Christmas & Warmest Wishes for 1994.*

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## Memoriams

BACHELOR, WILMA - In loving memory of a dear Aunt who passed away Dec. 26, 1991.
We do not forget, nor do we intend,
We think of you often, will to the end;
Forgotten by some you may be,
In memory you will ever be.
Fran, Larry & family

HANNAH - In memory of loved ones of our family who have passed away. Husband and father, Roy, Jan. 17, 1988; son and brother Blake, Aug. 9, 1934; son and brother Gordon, Dec. 12, 1991; daughter and sister Norma Brown, Oct. 19, 1992 and her beloved husband Bill, May 25, 1993.
Calm and peaceful they are sleeping,
Sweetest rest that follows pain;
We who loved them sadly miss them,
But trust in God to meet again.
Lovingly remembered always. Rosie & family

McCANN, CARRIE - In loving memory of our dear Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother who passed away December 23, 1963.
Though absent you are very near,
Still loved, still missed, and very dear.
Sadly missed by Keith and families.

MORRISON, CARRIE - In loving memory of our dear Mother and Grandma, who passed away thirty years ago, Dec. 22.
This time of year reminds us,
Of your sad and sudden call;
And the rest of the family,
Who have gone one by one.
Missed more than words can tell,
We treasure the memories of all.
Myrtle, Vern, Harry, Bill and Carol

REID - In loving memory of a dear wife, mother & grandmother, Velma, who passed away December 22, 1990.
Just when your life was brightest,
Just when your years were best,
You were called from this world of sorrow
To a home of eternal rest.
Lovingly remembered by husband Jim & family.

*May Your Season Deliver Bundles Of Cheer!*

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